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TOWN OFFICERS.

Selectmen.

HORACE J. BAUM, Term expires 1934.

ASA A. WESTCOTT, Term expires 1935.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN, Term expires 1936.

Board of Public Welfare,

Board of Health and Fence Viewers.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,

HORACE J. BAUM,

• ASA A. WESTCOTT.

Town Clerk.

FRANK EDMANDS.

Treasurer.

ALFRED A. LOVEJOY, JR.

Tax Collector.

EUGENE S. NEWHALL.

Auditor.

S. WALTER BATTY.

Assessors.

A. DUNCAN JOHNSON, Term expires 1934.

GEORGE W. LUNT, Term expires 1935.

WARREN W. DUTCHER, Term expires 1936.

School Committee.

G. RUSSELL GOFF, Term expires 1934.

HENRIETTA LAPWORTH, Term expires 1935.

HAMILTON W. THAYER, Term expires 1936.

Trustees of Public Library.

HARRY A. BILLINGS, Term expires 1934.

ANNA M. BANCROFT, Term expires 1935.

WALLACE I. STIMPSON, Term expires 1936.

Road Commissioners.

THOMAS H. WEST, 3RD., Term expires 1934.

G. RUSSELL GOFF, Term expires 1935.

RAYMOND SMETHURST, Term expires 1936.

Park Commissioners.

RICHARD HEYWOOD, Term expires 1934.

FRANK S. CLARK, Term expires 1935.

L. MARSHALL NEWELL, Term expires 1936.

Commissioners of Trust Funds.

CHARLES F. BUTTERWORTH, Term expires 1934.

FRANK A. LAPWORTH, Term expires 1935.

B. H. BRISTOW DRAPER, Term expires 1936.

Constables.

ARCHIBALD E. BECK,

WINTHROP A. REED,

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,

ASA A. WESTCOTT,

LEWIS W. BARROWS.

Tree Warden.

FRANK S. CLARK.

OFFICERS APPOINTED BY SELECTMEN.

Clerk of Selectmen.

WILLIAM FERGUSON.

Finance Committee.

EBEN S. DRAPER, Term expires 1934.
 G. RUSSELL GOFF, Term expires 1934.
 CHARLES F. AUSTIN, Term expires 1934.

CHARLES F. BUTTERWORTH, Term expires 1935.
 HARRY A. BILLINGS, Term expires 1935.
 ASA A. WESTCOTT, Term expires 1935.

ALFRED A. LOVEJOY, JR., Term expires 1936.
 B. H. BRISTOW DRAPER, Term expires 1936.
 WALLACE I. STIMPSON, Term expires 1936.

Engineers of Fire Department.

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG, Chief.
 FRED G. CROCKETT, 1st Assistant.
 WILLIAM E. WHITNEY, 2nd Assistant.

Registrars of Voters.

WALTER E. BURKE, Term expires 1934.
 CHARLES A. FORSTER, Term expires 1935.
 HENRY MARKHAM, Term expires 1936.
 FRANK EDMANDS, Clerk.

Police Officers.

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG, Chief.

WM. H. BARNEY,	JOS. W. GIBBS,	ALBERT J. NEWELL,
HORACE J. BAUM,	JOHN H. HOLBROOK,	E. A. PARKINSON,
ALBERT E. BONIN,	GEO. W. JENKINS,	W. N. PRENTISS,
PAUL BRACCI,	DAVID L. LESCOE,	JOHN SMART,
M. F. DOXEY,	ROSWELL L. LOOK,	ROY E. WESTCOTT,
GEO. E. DRAPER,	THOMAS MACNEVIN,	AUSTIN L. WHITNEY,
WALTER F. DURGIN,	MILLARD J. MACUEN,	T. S. WILSON.
FRED ELKINS,	THOS. F. MALLOY,	
W. E. ESTES,	ELBERT W. MARSO,	

Dog Officer.

LEWIS W. BARROWS.

Lock-up Keeper.

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG.

Forest Warden.

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG.

Superintendent of Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth Extermination.

FRANK S. CLARK.

Measurers of Lumber.

BENJAMIN L. HODGDON,

JOHN R. BELL.

Measurers of Wood and Bark.

WM. H. BARNEY, ASA A. WESTCOTT, ROY E. WESTCOTT,
 FRANK S. CLARK, IRVING R. EATON, REUBEN J. EVANS.

Public Weighers.

WM. H. BARNEY, JOSEPH ROSENFELD, ASA A. WESTCOTT,
 BERNARD J. CLIFFORD JOHN L. ENOS, REUBEN J. EVANS,
 IRVING R. EATON, M. AGNES CONLIN, ROY E. WESTCOTT,
 EDWARD N. KINSLEY,

Weighers of Coal.

WM. H. BARNEY, REUBEN J. EVANS, M. AGNES CONLIN,
 IRVING R. EATON.

Field Drivers.

HAMBLET B. DEWING,

CHARLES H. HALLIER,

ASA A. WESTCOTT.

Inspector of Animals and Slaughtering.

ALFRED W. LAMB.

Inspector of Kerosene.

ROY E. WESTCOTT.

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

LEWIS W. BARROWS.

Town Counsel.

CLAUDE F. SNIDER.

Burial Agent of Deceased Soldiers and Sailors.

WILLIAM R. STEARNS.

Agent of Board of Health to Sign Burial Permits.

FRANK EDMANDS.

APPOINTED BY ASSESSORS.

Assistant Assessors.

ALTA L. LUNT,

GRACE B. MACUEN.

APPOINTED BY SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Superintendent of Schools.

CARROLL H. DROWN.

Truant Officers.

LEWIS W. BARROWS,

THOMAS F. MALLOY,

JOSEPH W. GIBBS,

ERNEST A. PARKINSON,

JOHN H. HOLBROOK,

WINTHROP A. REED,

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,

~~WILBUR E. SWEET.~~

School Nurses.

HELEN GRADY, R. N.

MILDRED SALMOND, R. N.

APPOINTED BY PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

Librarian.

MADELEINE R. BURRILL.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

Town Records.

1933.

Hopedale, Mass., Feb. 17, 1933.

This is to certify that the Selectmen have this day granted a Junk License to Joseph Marcus, 66 Fruit St., Milford, Mass. to expire May 1, 1933 unless sooner suspended or revoked.

Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,

Town Clerk.

TOWN WARRANT.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

To either Constable of the Town of Hopedale, in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall, on Monday, the sixth day of March next, punctually at 9.00 o'clock in the forenoon (the polls may be closed at 1 o'clock in the afternoon on said day of meeting), to act upon the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing, including the following officers: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Auditor, one Selectman for three years, one Road Commissioner for three years, Assessor for three years, one Assessor for one year, one member of the School Committee for three years, five Con-

stables, one Trustee of Public Library for three years, one Park Commissioner for three years, Tree Warden, and one member of the Board of Commissioners of Trust Funds for three years.

Article 3. To hear and act upon the report of the Selectmen, Board of Public Welfare, School Committee, Engineers of the Fire Department, and any other officers and committees of said Town.

Article 4. To raise and appropriate or appropriate from any surplus or available funds in the treasury, such sum or sums of money as may be deemed necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the transfer of any balance in the overlay account in excess of the amount remaining to be collected or abated, to the reserve fund.

Article 6. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money on and after January 1, 1934, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1934.

Article 8. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate two hundred and forty dollars (\$240) toward defraying the expense of Memorial Day.

Article 9. To see what disposition the Town will make of money refunded from the county on account of the dog tax.

Article 10. To see what compensation the Town will allow the Collector of Taxes for his services.

Article 11. To see what date, if any, not later than October 15th, the Town will fix upon which taxes shall be payable.

Article 12. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to take charge of all legal proceedings for or against the Town.

Article 13. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate to be expended for the suppression of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$31,920.00 for the purpose of paying the Town's share of the cost of providing the Worcester County Tuberculosis Hospital, or take any other action in relation to the foregoing.

Article 15. To see if the Town will adopt a by-law authorizing its fire department to aid another city, town or fire district in extinguishing fires therein, or take any action in relation to the foregoing.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof in at least four public places in said Town, seven days at least before the time for said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Clerk of said Town, at the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Hopedale, this 23rd day of February, A. D. 1933.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,
HORACE J. BAUM,
ASA A. WESTCOTT,

Selectmen of Hopedale.

Attest:

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,
Constable of Hopedale.

Hopedale, Mass., March 6, 1933.

I have complied with the requirements of this Warrant by posting attested copies in four public places in said Town, seven days before the time of said meeting.

Attest:

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,
Constable of Hopedale.

A true copy of the Warrant and the doings thereon.

Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

TOWN MEETING, MARCH 6, 1933.

Pursuant to Warrant lawfully posted the inhabitants of Hopedale, duly qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, met in Town Hall, and punctually at nine o'clock in the forenoon, were called to order by the Clerk of said Town, who read the Warrant and under:

Article 1. Mr. Charles F. Butterworth was chosen Moderator with the use of the check list.

Article 2. Voted: That the Town proceed to vote for all the necessary Town officers by ballot, all upon one ballot, namely: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Auditor, one Selectman for three years, one Road Commissioner for three years, one Assessor for three years, one Assessor for one year, one member of the School Committee for three years, five Constables, one Trustee of the Public Library for three years, one Park Commissioner for three years, Tree Warden, and one member of the Board of Commissioners of Trust Funds for three years.

Article 3. Voted: Unanimously, that the reports of the Selectmen, Board of Public Welfare, School Committee, Engineers of the Fire Department, and any other officers and committees of said Town be accepted as printed.

The report of the Finance Committee for this meeting was presented as follows:

REPORT OF THE

HOPEDALE TOWN FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. Moderator:

At a meeting of the Hopedale Town Finance Committee held March 3, 1933, the question of appropriations to be considered at the Town Meeting to be held March 6, 1933, was considered, and Mr. G. Russell Goff, clerk of the Hopedale

Town Finance Committee was instructed to present to the Town Meeting, the following recommendations as to appropriations to be made at that meeting:

Fire Department:

General	\$8,000 00
New Hose	300 00
Brush Fires	200 00
Hydrant Water Service	4,920 00

Total	\$13,420 00
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Department of Public Welfare	\$14,000 00
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Plus income received from Welfare Department Trust Funds.

Old Age Assistance	\$4,000 00
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School Department:

General	\$47,500 00
Vocational School Tuition	1,000 00
To be under the supervision of the School Committee.	

Library Department	\$2,700 00
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Plus money received from the Dog Tax and as referred to in Article 9 of the Town Warrant, and also interest received from the Library Trust Funds.

Highway Department:

General	\$14,000 00
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This amount includes the suppression of Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths referred to in Article 13 of the Town Warrant.

Street Lighting	4,800 00
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Park Department	\$2,000 00
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Plus income received from Park Department Trust Funds.

Incidental Department:

General	\$4,000 00
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Board of Health	1,300 00
Town Hall	3,000 00
Police	7,500 00
Insurance	2,900 00
Cemeteries	100 00
Plus income from Cemetery Trust Funds.	
State Aid	1,000 00
Soldiers' Relief	2,500 00
To Pay Maturing Town Bonds	7,000 00
Interest on Town Bonds	3,487 50
Interest	1,200 00
Memorial Day	240 00
This being the amount referred to in Article 8 of the Town Warrant, this appropriation to be divided as follows:	
Civil War	\$100 00
World War	100 00
Spanish War	40 00

WORCESTER COUNTY TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL.

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$31,920.00 for the purpose of paying the Town's share of the cost of providing the Worcester County Tuberculosis Hospital, and that to meet said appropriation there be raised in the tax levy of the current year the sum of \$11,920.00; and the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow the sum of \$20,000.00, and to issue bonds or notes to be payable in accordance with the provisions of Section 19, Chapter 44, of the General Laws, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than one year from the date of issue of the first bond or note, or at such earlier date as the Treasurer and Selectmen may determine, this being referred to in Article 14 of the Town Warrant.

HOPEDALE TOWN FINANCE COMMITTEE,

by G. Russell Goff,
Clerk of the Committee.

Voted: Unanimously, that the Town accept the report of the Finance Committee as read by Mr. G. Russell Goff, the clerk of said Committee and to act upon the same item by item.

Article 4. Acting on the foregoing report of the Hope-dale Town Finance Committee, it was:

Voted: Unanimously that the Town raise and appropriate sums as follows:

Fire Department:

General	\$8,000 00
New Hose	300 00
Brush Fires	200 00
Hydrant Water Service	4,920 00

Total	\$13,420 00
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Department of Public Welfare	\$14,000 00
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Plus income received from Welfare Department Trust Funds.

Old Age Assistance	\$4,000 00
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School Department:

General	\$47,500 00
Vocation School Tuition	1,000 00
To be under the supervision of the School Committee.	

Library Department	\$2,700 00
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Plus money received from the Dog Tax and as referred to in Article 9 of the Town Warrant, and also interest received from the Library Trust Funds.

Highway Department:

General	\$14,000 00
This amount to include the suppression of Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths referred to in Article 13 of the Town Warrant.	
Street Lighting	\$4,800 00

Park Department	\$2,000 00
Plus income received from Park Department Trust Funds.	
Incidental Department:	
General	4,000 00
Board of Health	1,300 00
Town Hall	3,000 00
Police	7,500 00
Insurance	2,900 00
Cemeteries	100 00
Plus income from Cemetery Trust Funds.	
State Aid	1,000 00
Soldiers' Relief	2,500 00
To Pay Maturing Town Bonds	7,000 00
Interest on Town Bonds	3,487 50
Interest	1,200 00
Memorial Day	240 00
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Civil War	\$100 00
World War	100 00
Spanish War	40 00

WORCESTER COUNTY TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL.

Voted: Unanimously (12 for and 0 against) that there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$31,920.00 for the purpose of paying the Town's share of the cost of providing the Worcester County Tuberculosis Hospital; and that to meet said appropriation there be raised in the tax levy of the current year the sum of \$11,920.00; and the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow the sum of \$20,000.00, and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor, said bonds or notes to be payable in accordance with the provisions of Section 19, Chapter 44, of the General Laws, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than

one year from the date of issue of the first bond or note, or at such earlier date as the Treasurer and Selectmen may determine.

Article 5. Voted to pass over.

Article 6. Voted: Unanimously, that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the Financial Year beginning January 1, 1933, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the said financial year.

Article 7. Voted: Unanimously, that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money on and after January 1, 1934, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1934.

Article 8. This was included and acted upon in Article 4.

Article 9. This was included and acted upon in Article 4.

Article 10. Voted: Unanimously, that the compensation of the Collector of Taxes for the year 1933 be \$500.00, all the expenses connected with the collection of taxes for the year 1933 to be borne by the Town and paid from the appropriation for the Incidental Department.

Article 11. Voted: Unanimously, that all taxes be payable October 2nd and bills for the same shall be sent out on or before that date, and that all taxes remaining unpaid after the expiration of eighteen days from said October 2nd shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from October 2nd, and as otherwise provided by law.

Article 12. Voted: Unanimously, to authorize the Selectmen to take charge of all legal proceedings for or against the Town.

Article 13. This was included and acted upon in Article 4.

Article 14. This was included and acted upon in Article 4.

Article 15. Voted: Unanimously (12 yes and 0 nays) that the following by-law be adopted:

“The Fire Department is authorized to aid another City, Town or Fire District in extinguishing fires therein, subject to the control of its acting head.”

Voted: That the polls be closed and the Warrant be dissolved at one o'clock in the afternoon.

Punctually at one o'clock the warrant was dissolved and the polls were declared closed, the ballots cast were counted and the result announced as follows:

There were 23 ballots cast for each of the following officers and the same were declared elected.

Town Clerk—Frank Edmands.*

Treasurer—Alfred A. Lovejoy, Jr.*

Collector—Eugene S. Newhall.*

Auditor—S. Walter Batty.*

Selectman for Three Years—Charles F. Austin.*

Assessor for Three Years—Warren W. Dutcher.*

Assessor for One Year—A. Duncan Johnson.

Road Commissioner for Three Years—Raymond Smethurst.*

School Committee for Three Years—Hamilton W. Thayer.*

Trustee Town Library for Three Years—Wallace I. Stimpson.*

Park Commissioner for Three Years—L. Marshall Newell.*

Commissioner of Trust Funds for Three Years—

B. H. Bristow Draper.*

Constable—Archibald E. Beck.*

Constable—Samuel E. Kellogg.*

Constable—Lewis W. Barrows.*

Constable—Asa A. Westcott.*

Constable—Winthrop A. Reed.*

Tree Warden—Frank S. Clark.*

*—Candidate for re-election.

Of the above named Town Officers the following were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties.

By the Moderator—Frank Edmands.

By the Town Clerk—Alfred A. Lovejoy, Jr., Eugene S. Newhall, S. Walter Batty, Warren W. Dutcher, A. Duncan Johnson, Raymond Smethurst, Hamilton W. Thayer, Wallace I. Stimpson, L. Marshall Newell, B. H. Bristow Draper, Archibald E. Beck, Samuel E. Kellogg, Lewis W. Barrows, Asa A. Westcott, Winthrop A. Reed, Frank S. Clark.

By a Justice of Peace—Charles F. Austin.

Article 12 of the Town by-laws was adopted in Article 15 by the Town of Hopedale at a legal Town Meeting of said Town held March 6, 1933; the approval of the same by the Attorney-General was obtained March 13, 1933; and the said by-law was advertised in the March 16, 17 and 18, 1933 issues of the Milford Daily News, thereupon becoming one of the by-laws of the Town.

Hopedale, Mass., April 12, 1933.

Selectmen Charles F. Austin and Horace J. Baum, Constable Samuel E. Kellogg and Town Clerk Frank Edmands met at the Draper Corporation Office at 9.15 o'clock A. M., and Selectman Horace J. Baum drew from the Juror Box the name of Benjamin J. Davenport by occupation an Auto Dealer to serve as Traverse Juror at our Superior Court (second session) holden at Worcester for the transaction of criminal business on Monday, the 15th day of May next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

Hopedale, Mass., May 1, 1933.

This is to certify that the Town Clerk has this day issued to:

Millard Bracci, 130 Mendon Street
Wilfred L. Corey, 100 Mendon Street
Draper Corporation, Corner Chapel and Dutcher Streets
Harvey W. Leggee, 103 Mendon Street

Harry Minasian, 404 South Main Street

Henry Patrick Co., Corner Hope and Hopedale Streets
certificates of registration in accordance with the provisions
of the General Laws of Chapter 148, and amendments there-
to, to operate a Filling Station, said registration to expire
April 30, 1934, unless sooner suspended or revoked.

Attest: FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

Hopedale, Mass., May 5, 1933.

This is to certify that the Selectmen have this day
granted a Junk License, No. 1, to Joseph Marcus, 66 Fruit
Street, Milford, Mass. to expire May 1, 1934 unless sooner
suspended or revoked.

Attest: FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

TOWN WARRANT.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

To either Constable of the Town of Hopedale, in said County,
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are
hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said
Town, qualified by law to vote in elections and in Town affairs,
to meet at the Town Hall, in said Town, on Tuesday, the
thirteenth day of June, A. D. 1933, punctually at 9 o'clock in
the forenoon, at which time the polls will be opened for said
voters to give in their ballots to the Selectmen for three
Delegates from the said Town (4th Worcester District) to
a Constitutional Convention called to Ratify or Reject the
Following Amendment to the Constitution of the United States,
proposed by Joint Resolution of Congress:

"Section 1. The eighteenth article of amendment to the
Constitution of the United States is hereby repealed."

"Section 2. The transportation or importation into any State, Territory, or possession of the United States for delivery or use therein of intoxicating liquors, in violation of the laws thereof, is hereby prohibited."

"Section 3. This article shall be inoperative unless it shall have been ratified as an amendment to the Constitution by conventions in the several States, as provided in the Constitution, within seven years from the date of the submission hereof to the States by the Congress."

Also, upon said ballots the voters shall give in their votes, "Yes" or "No" on the following question:

"Shall licenses be granted in this Town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages?"

The polls will be open from 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.

And you are hereby directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof in at least four public places in said Town, seven days at least before the time set for said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Clerk of said Town, at the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Hopedale, the third day of June A. D. 1933.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,

HORACE J. BAUM,

Selectmen of Hopedale.

Attest:

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,

Constable of Hopedale.

Hopedale, Mass., June 13, 1933.

I have complied with the requirements of this Warrant by posting attested copies in four public places in said Town seven days before the time of said meeting.

Attest:

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,

Constable of Hopedale.

A true copy of the Warrant and the doings thereon.

Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,

Town Clerk.

TOWN MEETING, JUNE 13, 1933.

Pursuant to Warrant lawfully posted, the inhabitants of Hopedale, duly qualified by law to vote in elections and in Town affairs, met at Town Hall on June 13, 1933, and punctually at nine o'clock in the forenoon, were called to order by the Town Clerk, who read the Warrant, after which the polls were declared open.

The cards of instructions and sample ballots being previously posted, the ballot clerks and deputy ballot clerks were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties, the official ballots delivered by the presiding officer to the ballot clerks who receipted therefor. The ballot box registered at zero, and was shown to be empty, the same was locked and the key delivered to the presiding officer.

Voting then proceeded.

At 1 o'clock in the afternoon the polls were declared closed, and the ballot box which registered 537 was opened by the presiding officer and 537 ballots were taken out.

The tellers being duly sworn as the law directs, counting proceeded.

The ballot clerk list showed that 537 (442 male, 95 female) names had been checked.

The results were tabulated and at 2.30 P. M. was declared in open meeting, as follows:

Delegates opposed to Ratification (against Repeal):

Florence L. Lawton, Worcester	145
Amanda L. Peterson, Worcester	144
Robert C. Westenberg, Uxbridge	144

Delegates favoring Ratification (for Repeal):

Charles F. Campbell, Worcester	371
Eben S. Draper, Hopedale	383

T. Frank Hickey, Shrewsbury	370
Blanks	54

ARTICLE:

Shall licenses be granted in this Town for the sale there-
in of wines and malt beverages, the vote was

Yes	234
No	262
Blanks	41

After the foregoing by the presiding officer the check
lists used by the ballot clerks and Selectmen, together with
the cancelled and unused ballots and tally sheets, were de-
livered into the custody of the Town Clerk.

Attest: FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

Hopedale, Mass., October 13, 1933.

Selectmen Charles F. Austin and Horace J. Baum,
Constable Samuel E. Kellogg, and Town Clerk Frank Edmands
met this day at the Draper Corporation Office at 2.00 o'clock
P. M., and Selectman Horace J. Baum drew from the Juror
Box the name of Charles H. Knights, by occupation a
Plumber, to serve as Traverse Juror at our Superior Court,
holden at Worcester for the transaction of Civil Business
on Monday, the sixth day of November next at 10.00 o'clock
in the forenoon.

Attest: FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

Hopedale, Mass., December 21, 1933.

Selectmen Charles F. Austin and Horace J. Baum,
Constable Samuel E. Kellogg, and Town Clerk Frank Edmands
met this day at the Draper Corporation Office at 9.30 o'clock
A. M. and Selectman Horace J. Baum drew from the Juror
Box the name of Walter F. Durgin, by occupation a Chauffeur,

to serve as Traverse Juror at our Superior Court (second session) holden in Worcester for the transaction of Criminal Business on Monday, the twenty-second day of January next at 10.00 o'clock in the forenoon.

Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

LIST OF JURORS, 1933.

NAME.	OCCUPATION.	RESIDENCE.
Roy L. Adams	Clerk	6 Peace St.
Albert H. Andrews	Machinist	119 Dutcher St.
Fred E. Andrews	Clerk	17 Union St.
C. Earl Baldwin	Toolmaker	8 Hope St.
Stanley Barrows	Packer	37 Inman St.
Sidney Beard	Machinist	3 Union St.
George A. Bruce	Clerk	70 Bancroft Pky.
Leslie C. Childs	Foreman	7 Inman St.
Julian F. Clark	Carpenter	50 Inman St.
Edwin F. Clarridge	Mason	39 Daniels St.
Benjamin J. Davenport	Auto. Dealer	15 Park St.
Harold W. Dunlap	Shuttle Worker	17 Hopedale St.
J. Harold Durgin	Merchant	120 Dutcher St.
Walter F. Durgin	Chauffeur	105 Green St.
Charles H. Earnsby	Machinist	38 Bancroft Park
Raymond J. Gaffney	Machinist	147 Hopedale St.
Lewis E. Gaskill	Laborer	383 So. Main St.
Norman S. Henry	Farmer	200 Dutcher St.
Albert A. Hersey	Toolmaker	18 Union St.
Alfred C. Hixon	Assembler	126 Freedom St.
Herbert C. Hixon	Machinist	14 Inman St.
Preston Johnson	Forger	142 Mill St.
George E. Kent	Machinist	178 Hopedale St.
William H. Knight	Farmer	93 Hopedale St.
Charles H. Knights	Plumber	374 So. Main St.
Fred E. Mason	Machinist	10 Progress St.
Hugh E. Nulty	Machinist	96 Hopedale St.

LIST OF JURORS, 1933—Continued.

NAME.	OCCUPATION.	RESIDENCE.
J. Newton Nutter	Toolmaker	123 Dutcher St.
Joseph A. Palmer	Laborer	7 Cemetery St.
Arthur J. Sloane	Pattern Maker	42 Inman St.
Frank E. Stover	Machinist	108 Mill St.
Walter E. Taylor	Pattern Maker	26 Dutcher St.
Clifton C. Tracy	Machinist	3 Lake St.
George Urquhart	Machinist	Hazel St.
Herbert E. Ward	Retired	103 Dutcher St.
Roy A. Weaver	Shuttle Worker	36 Progress St.
Roy C. Williams	Machinist	112 Freedom St.
James H. Young	Machinist	12 Cemetery St.

JURORS DRAWN.

Benjamin J. Davenport	Traverse Juror	April 12, 1933
Charles H. Knights	Traverse Juror	October 13, 1933
Walter F. Durgin	Traverse Juror	December 21, 1933

DOG LICENSES ISSUED.

167 Male. 29 Female. Amount sent to County Treasurer, \$439.80, of which amount \$357.08 was returned to the town.

SPORTING LICENSES ISSUED.

Resident Fishing	57
Resident Hunting	76
Resident Sporting	56
Resident Sporting Free of Charge	4
Resident Women and Minor Fishing	13
Resident Citizen Trapping	1
Duplicate	4

VITAL STATISTICS.

Parents and others are requested to carefully examine the following lists and if any errors or omissions are discovered report them at once to the town clerk, that the record may be corrected, as it is of importance that the record of Vital Statistics should be complete. Herewith are extracts from the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 46.

Section 3. Every physician, or hospital medical officer registered under Section nine of Chapter one hundred and twelve, in this chapter called officer, shall keep a record of the birth of every child in cases of which he was in charge, showing date and place of birth, the name, if any, of the child, its sex and color, the name, age, birthplace, occupation and residence (including the street number, if any) of each parent, the maiden name of the mother and the name of the physician or officer, if any, personally attending the birth. If the child is illegitimate, the name of and other facts relating to the father shall not be set forth except upon written request of both the father and mother. Said physician or officer shall, within fifteen days after such birth, mail or deliver to the clerk or register of the town where such birth occurred, a report stating the facts herein above required to be shown on said record and also the said written request, if any; provided, that if said report is not so made within forty-eight hours after such birth, said physician or officer shall, within said forty-eight hours, mail or deliver to said clerk, or registrar a notice stating the date and place of the birth, the street number, if any, the ward number, if in a city, and the family name. Upon presentation to him of a certificate of the town clerk stating that any such birth has been duly reported, the town treasurer shall pay to such physician or officer a fee of twenty-five cents for each birth so reported. Any physician or any such officer violating any provision of this section shall forfeit not more than twenty-five dollars.

Section 4. A member or servant of a family in which a child is born, having knowledge of the facts required for record relative to such births, shall furnish the same upon request of the clerk of the town where such child was born or its parents reside, or of any person authorized by him. Such member or servant refusing to furnish such facts shall be punished by fine not exceeding ten dollars.

Section 6. Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, and every householder, within forty days after a birth in his house, shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the town where such child is born. Every householder in whose house a death occurs and the oldest next of kin of a deceased person in the town where the death occurs shall, within five days thereafter, cause notice thereof to be given to the board of health.

Blanks can be obtained on application to the town clerk.

FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN 1933.

DATE 1933		NAMES	RESIDENCE	AGE	MARRIAGE	BY WHOM AND WHERE MARRIED
Feb.	27	Curzio Guerra	Milford	20	1st	Rev. R. Dalla Porta
		Lydia Mantoni	Hopedale	18	1st	Milford, Mass.
Mar.	11	Harry Midgley, Jr.	Hopedale	19	1st	Rev. JB H. Tegarden
		Evelyn Louise Guyette	Hopedale	22	1st	Hopedale, Mass.
Mar.	11	Kenneth E. Lapworth	Hopedale	23	1st	Rev. Joseph Vasey
		Ruth K. Martin	Franklin	24	1st	Putnam, Conn.
Mar.	17	William M. Draper	Hopedale	25	1st	Rev. Carl A. Albin
		Gladys Romblad	Woonsocket, R.I.	18	1st	Pawtucket, R. I.
Mar.	23	Thomas L. Francis	Upton	23	1st	Rev. Vernon H. Deming
		Olive Bernice Felton	Hopedale	19	1st	Hopedale, Mass.
Apr.	30	Edward C. Kamps	Dedham	28	1st	Rev. JB H. Tegarden
		Irma J. Bell	Hopedale	21	1st	Hopedale, Mass.
May	13	William L. Gardner	Bellingham	20	1st	Malcolm Midgley, J.P.
		Mabel E. Corcoran	Hopedale	20	1st	Worcester, Mass.
June	3	Joseph Clark	Hopedale	48	1st	Rev. F. H. McCullough
		Noriene M. Newell	Hopedale	38	1st	Milford, Mass.
June	3	Frank E. Marsh	Hopedale	31	1st	Rev. Oscar J. F. Seity
		Elizabeth F. Wambolt	W. Medway	27	1st	Millis, Mass.
July	3	John C. Joslin	Hopedale	26	1st	Rev. Vernon H. Deming
		Olive M. Bartlett	Hopedale	23	1st	Hopedale, Mass.
July	6	John J. Kelley	Milford	34	1st	Rev. F. H. McCullough
		Agnes B. Gaffney	Hopedale	25	1st	Milford, Mass.
July	29	Russell L. Tiffany	Hopedale	24	1st	Rev. H. Murray Elliott
		Helen M. Blaine	Northbridge	22	1st	Mendon, Mass.
Aug.	12	William H. Elliott	Hopedale	22	1st	Rev. G. Edgar Wolfe
		Alwilda G. Allen	Hopedale	20	1st	Milford, Mass.
Aug.	26	Chester H. Wallis	E. Douglas	32	1st	Rev. Vernon H. Deming
		Marion E. Lapham	E. Douglas	23	1st	Hopedale, Mass.
Aug.	30	Leonard Heron	Hopedale	21	1st	Rev. R. B. Wintersteen
		Doris P. Farrar	Upton	20	1st	Uxbridge, Mass.
Sept.	11	James C. Calcagni	Milford	23	1st	Rev. John P. Donahue
		Margaret B. Harris	Hopedale	19	1st	Milford, Mass.
Sept.	16	Madison H. Goff	Hopedale	23	1st	Rev. JB H. Tegarden
		Hilma Collier	Hopedale	21	1st	Milford, Mass.
Oct.	7	Richard M. Tenanty, Jr.	Hopedale	22	1st	Rev. F. H. McCullough
		Doris G. Kirby	Milford	21	1st	Milford, Mass.
Oct.	8	Louis L. Bresciani	Hopedale	22	1st	Rev. Joseph Costa
		Mary R. Parente	Milford	20	1st	Milford, Mass.
Oct.	14	Franklin N. Fairbank	Hopedale	21	1st	Rev. J. Valentinelli
		Marie R. Abretti	Milford	20	1st	Milford, Mass.
Oct.	14	Gaetano Pappalardo	W. Upton	21	1st	Rev. E. D. Ellenwood
		Lillian L. Ghetti	Hopedale	21	1st	Woonsocket, R. I.
Oct.	14	Esmond P. Moore	Milford	35	1st	Rev. J. A. Riordan
		Florina A. Egan	Hopedale	29	1st	Milford, Mass.
Oct.	28	Donald E. Hazard	Hopedale	22	1st	Rev. R. C. Westenberg
		Hattie L. Barr	Uxbridge	23	1st	Uxbridge, Mass.
Nov.	5	William H. Baker	Milford	69	2nd	Rev. D. Stewart Smith
		Alzie R. Staples	Hopedale	54	1st	Roxbury, Mass.
Dec.	2	Clarence E. Chilson	Hopedale	27	1st	Rev. R. B. Wintersteen
		Hester M. Springer	Hopedale	28	1st	Mendon, Mass.
Dec.	4	Clayton A. Stevens	Milford	23	1st	Rev. H. Murray Elliott
		Eleanor Harmon	Hopedale	21	1st	Milford, Mass.
Dec.	23	Asa L. Saunders	Hopedale	46	3rd	Rev. JB H. Tegarden
		Emma (Marshall) Brown	Hopedale	55	2nd	Hopedale, Mass.
Dec.	24	C. John Hamer	Crooksville, O.	44	2nd	Rev. JB H. Tegarden
		Beryl K. Draper	N. Attleboro	30	2nd	Hopedale, Mass.
Dec.	26	Louis J. Noferi	Hopedale	22	1st	Rev. R. D. Murphy
		Mary Gac	Uxbridge	20	1st	Uxbridge, Mass.
Dec.	26	Alfred J. Leger	Milford	25	1st	Rev. J. Valentinelli
		Edair Ghetti	Hopedale	19	1st	Milford, Mass.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN 1933.

DATE	NAME	PARENTS
Jan. 13	David Duncan Snider	Claude F. and Melissa (Duncan)
Jan. 26	Avis Irene Baldwin	C. Earl and Annie R. (Halliley)
Jan. 28	Horace Theodore Brown	Ralph and Esther (Gibbs)
Jan. 30	John De Luca	John and Lucy (Vendetti)
Mar. 10	Lillian Ruth Taylor	Lee P. and Nettie (Hartling)
Mar. 24	William Joseph Kelley	Thomas and Anna (Carr)
Mar. 25	Barbara West Wright	George and Natella (Burlingame)
Apr. 2	Arthur Robert Lussier	George J. and Evon C. (Dumas)
Apr. 8	Dianne Elaine Hammond	Linwood and Laura (Lapham)
Apr. 12	Claire Susan Adams	Carl E. and Florence (Gould)
May 7	Frances Mantoni	Alessandro and Teresa (Pigheraca)
May 23	Jay Franklin Hamer	Clarence J. and Jane (Draper)
June 5	Barbara Ann Clark	Julian F. and Marion (Tucker)
June 13	Richard Carl Spadoni	Henry and Angie (Volpicelli)
June 21	Merrill Lee Cox	Merrill L. and Cecile (Durgin)
June 30	William Forbes Larson	William and Mabel (Forbes)
Aug. 2	Donald Earl Coburn	Clinton S. and Gertrude (Newman)
Aug. 5	Thomas Phillip Guerra	Curzio and Lidia (Mantoni)
Sept. 1	James Smith Peavey	Lawrence H. and Helen (Smith)
Sept. 16	Sandra Lapworth	Burleigh W. and Thelma (Shea)
Sept. 23	Vivian Louise Francis	Arthur E. and Louise (Barrows)
Oct. 8	Marilyn Rose Miller	Edwin W. and Rose (Caram)
Oct. 27	Robert Joseph Narducci	Nicholas A. and Adelia (Bassetti)
Oct. 29	Janet Christine Nelson	Stanley R. and Marjorie (Boucher)
Nov. 11	Frances Belforti	Edward and Grace (Burns)
Nov. 16	Donald Lee White	Furnie L. and Catherine (Eastwood)
Nov. 20	Mary Ann Main	John and Christina (Ross)
Dec. 14	Jean Freda Wilde	William F. and Reita (Sweet)

DEATHS REGISTERED IN 1933.

DATE 1933		NAME OF DECEASED	AGE			CAUSE OF DEATH	PLACE OF BIRTH
			Y	M	D		
Jan.	4	Josephine C. Claffin	84	9	17	Carcinoma	Milford, Mass.
Jan.	18	Bridget R. O'Toole	68	11	4	Chronic Myocarditis	Scotland
Jan.	31	Michael De Luca	..	..	1	Premature Birth	Hopedale, Mass.
Feb.	2	Ellen Nolan	41	..	..	Volvulus of Colon	Ireland
Feb.	12	Henrietta Andrews	47	6	7	Broncho Pneumonia	Nova Scotia
Feb.	17	John J. Creamer	68	..	..	Chronic Nephritis	Ireland
Mar.	2	Ida M. Blood	77	..	26	Chronic Myocarditis	Hampton Falls, N. H.
Mar.	7	Herbert H. Irving	61	4	15	Broncho Pneumonia	Calais, Maine
Mar.	18	Frank W. Redgrave	61	9	12	Myocardial Degeneration	Pittsburg, Penn.
Mar.	23	Daniel J. White	64	6	15	Chronic Valvular Heart Disease	Bellingham, Mass.
Mar.	31	Mary E. Gaffney	68	3	25	Adeno-carcinoma	Milford, Mass.
Apr.	6	Luther F. Bradbury	48	8	26	Follicular Tonsillitis	Denver, Colorado
Apr.	10	William W. Sheperd	74	3	1	Perforation of Stomach	Saratoga Springs, N.Y.
Apr.	15	Fred A. Manchester	68	2	15	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Warren, R. I.
Apr.	25	Darwin D. Draper	16	8	11	Accidental Shooting	Hopedale, Mass.
Apr.	28	Emily L. Bennett	68	9	5	Carcinoma	Pascoag, R. I.
May	11	Alice A. Sherman	82	10	18	Arteriosclerosis	Medfield, Mass.
May	16	Marilyn F. Knight	2	4	..	Pleural Empyema	Hopedale, Mass.
May	31	Jane E. Hamer	40	3	7	Pulmonary Embolism	Hopedale, Mass.
July	1	Edgar H. Jenks	77	5	7	Apoplexy	Milford, Mass.
July	6	Alice M. Bartlett	64	..	..	Chronic Interstitial Nephritis	South Paris, Maine
July	25	Charles W. Shippee	88	4	21	Myocarditis	Thompson, Conn.
July	26	Celia A. Wellington	83	11	19	Arteriosclerosis	Upton, Mass.
Sept.	6	Joseph A. Miller	56	6	22	Lobar Pneumonia	Providence, R. I.
Sept.	11	Charles H. Saunders	85	4	17	Myocardial Failure	Deer Isle, Maine
Sept.	22	Alice M. Lahive	56	..	..	Fracture of Skull	Westborough, Mass.
Oct.	2	Charles F. Larkin	69	1	24	Heart Disease	St. John, N. B.
Nov.	6	Samuel W. Day	60	7	19	Heart Disease	Brooklyn, N. Y.
Nov.	27	Fiske S. Clark	32	3	12	Tumor of Brain	Standish, Maine
Dec.	14	Earl H. Trevett	39	4	14	Scarlet Fever	Milford, Mass.
Dec.	22	Hugh G. Clark	61	5	26	Myelitis	Scotland
Dec.	26	Eleanor M. Presheo	6	..	20	Lobar Pneumonia	Hopedale, Mass.

TREASURER'S REPORT, 1933.

ALFRED A. LOVEJOY, JR., TREASURER, in account with
THE TOWN OF HOPEDALE.

RECEIPTS CLASSIFIED.

Collector of Taxes:

Real and personal 1932	\$118 26
Excise 1932	36 25

\$154 51

Real and personal 1933	\$134,867 11
Poll tax 1933	1,935 60
Old Age Assistance 1933	968 85
Excise 1933	4,338 33
Sewer Assessment 1933	360 00

\$142,469 89 \$142,624 40

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Taxes:

Income Tax	\$9,089 00
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Corporation Taxes:

Business	13,842 39
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Railroad, Telephone and Tele- graph	100 15
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Gas, Electric Light and Water	106 90
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Interest on Gas, Electric Light and Water	20
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Railroad, Telephone and Tele- graph 1932	2 83
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Miscellaneous State Taxes:

Veterans Exemption	\$4 00
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Federal Emergency Relief Fund	1,893 37
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Interest on Federal Emergency Relief Fund	01	
Old Age Assistance	1,014	67
Old Age Assistance Refund	17	00
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	\$26,070	52
Bank Taxes:		
National Bank Tax	\$810	64
Trust Company Tax	22	12
Trust Company Tax 1932	63	
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	\$833	39
Board of Public Welfare:		
Dependent Mother's Account	\$585	50
Temporary Aid	953	42
State Aid	240	00
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	\$1,778	92
Tuition:		
State Wards (School Department)	\$988	57
Vocational Training (School Department)	560	63
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	\$1,549	20
	\$30,232	03
Borrowed Money:		
First of Boston Corporation	\$100,000	00
Fire Department:		
Sundries	2	20
Highway Department:		
Sundries	628	63
Incidental Department:		
Sundries	\$36	29
Pedlar Licenses (Local and State)	76	00
Gas and Alcohol Licenses	7	00

Milk and Cream Licenses	11 00	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	46 74	
Dog Licenses	441 60	
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	\$618 63	
Town Hall:		
Rents Account	\$1,639 00	
Boiler Insurance	575 00	
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	\$2,214 00	
Public Welfare Department:		
Sundries	\$862 03	
Trust Fund Interest	272 75	
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	\$1,134 78	
Interest:		
On Bank Deposits	\$152 23	
War Bonus	77 03	
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	\$229 26	
Cemetery:		
Trust Fund Interest	\$6 78	4,203 45
Library Department:		
Fines, Sale of Books, Etc.	\$185 31	
Trust Fund Interest	2,387 73	
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	\$2,573 04	\$2,573 04
Park Department:		
Sundries	\$ 38	
Trust Fund Interest	90 51	
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	\$90 89	\$90 89
School Department:		
Sundries	\$772 16	

Tuition (City of Boston)	427 78	
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	\$1,199 94	\$1,199 94
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Total Receipts		\$281,554 58
Cash balances as of Jan. 1, 1933:		
General Fund	\$9,755 33	
General Draper High School		
Fund	1,892 84	
War Bonus Account	2,182 77	
Library Special Account	213 94	
	<hr/>	\$14,044 88
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Grand total		\$295,599 46
By amounts paid:		
School Department		\$47,045 61
School Department (Vocational		
Training)		1,000 00
School Department (Gen. Draper		
High School Account)		355 51
Library Department		5,601 67
Fire Department		13,283 66
Highway Department		17,241 25
Park Department		2,067 34
Incidental Department:		
Sundries	\$3,970 77	
Board of Health	1,114 62	
Cemetery	106 78	
Memorial Day	240 00	
Town Hall	2,486 50	
Police Department	7,348 99	
Public Welfare	12,169 59	
Soldiers' Relief	2,734 15	
Insurance	2,689 79	

Gen. Draper High School		
Bonds (Matured)	7,000 00	
Gen. Draper High School		
Bond Interest	3,487 50	
Old Age Assistance	4,094 90	
State Aid	950 58	
Borrowed Money	100,000 00	
Interest on borrowed money	579 44	
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	\$148,973 61	\$148,973 61
Taxes:		
County Tax	\$7,866 00	
Tubercular Hospital	31,920 00	
Tubercular Hospital Assessment	1,250 63	
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	\$41,036 63	\$41,036 63
State Tax	\$6,944 70	
Old Age Assistance Tax	995 00	
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	\$7,939 70	7,939 70
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Total expenditures		\$284,984 78
Cash balances as of Dec. 31, 1933:		
General Account	\$6,817 55	
Gen. Draper High School		
account	1,537 33	
War Bonus account	2,259 80	
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		\$10,614 68
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Grand total		\$295,599 46

**SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATIONS, TRANSFERS, CASH
RECEIPTS AND BALANCES FOR YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1933.**

	Sundry Receipts of Depts.	Appro- priations and Transfers.	Expended.	Unexpended.	Overdrawn
Fire Department:—					
General Account	\$ 2 20	\$8,000 00	\$ 7,992 44	\$ 7 56	
New Hose		300 00	300 00		
Brush Fires		200 00	71 22	128 78	
Hydrants		4,920 00	4,920 00		
Board of Public Welfare, including					
Dependent Mothers'	1,720 28	14,272 75	12,169 59	2,103 16	
Old Age Assistance		4,000 00	4,094 90		94 90
School Department: —					
General Account	2,188 51	47,500 00	47,045 61	454 39	
Vocational Training	560 63	1,000 00	1,000 00		
Library Department:—					
General Account	2,573 04	5,301 67	5,601 67		300 00
Highway Department:—					
General Account	628 63	14,000 00	12,498 36	1,501 64	
Street Lighting		4,800 00	4,742 89	57 11	
Park Department:—					
General Account	90 89	2,090 89	2,067 34	23 55	
Incidental Department:—					
General Account	96 74	4,000 00	3,970 77	29 23	
Board of Health		1,300 00	1,114 62	185 38	
Town Hall	1,639 00	3,000 00	2,486 50	513 50	
Police Department	24 29	7,500 00	7,348 99	151 01	
Insurance	575 00	2,900 00	2,689 79	210 21	
Interest	152 23	1,200 00	579 44	620 56	
Cemeteries	6 78	106 78	106 78		
Maturing Bonds		7,000 00	7,000 00		
Interest on Maturing Bonds		3,487 50	3,487 50		
Memorial Day		240 00	240 00		
General Draper High School		355 51	355 51		
Borrowed Money	100,000 00	100,000 00	100,000 00		
Interest on War Bonus	77 03				
Collector of Taxes	142,624 40				
State of Massachusetts Taxes					
State of Mass. Tax	26,881 66	6,944 70	6,944 70		
Old Age Assistance	1,031 67	995 00	995 00		
State Aid	240 00	1,000 00	950 58	49 42	
Soldiers' Relief		2,500 00	2,734 15		234 15
County Taxes					
County Tax,		7,866 00	7,866 00		
Tubercular Hospital		31,920 00	31,920 00		
Tubercular Hospital Assessment		1,250 63	1,250 63		
Dog Taxes	441 60	439 80	439 80		
Totals,	\$281,554 58	\$290,391 23	\$284,984 78	\$ 6,035 50	\$629 05

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1933 \$14,044 88

Total receipts for year 1933 281,554 58

\$295,599 46

Total cash disbursements

284,984 78

Balance in General Fund \$6,817 55

Balance in General Draper High

School Fund 1,537 33

Balance in War Bonus Fund 2,259 80

\$10,614 68

Total cash on hand Dec. 31, 1933

\$10,614 68

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

By balance from last account		\$56,725 29
Profit a/c change in Investments		318 55
To 9600 Chi., Milw., St. Paul and Pacific Adj. Mort. Gold Bonds, 2000	\$6,960 00	
2400 Chi., Milw., St. Paul and Pacific 5% Mort. Gold Bonds, 1975	2,340 00	
8000 Am. Tel. & Tel. 5's, 1960	7,776 00	
10000 Southern Ry. 4's, 1956	8,315 44	
14000 Dominion of Canada 4's Gold Bonds, due Oct. 1, 1960	12,286 67	
4000 B. & O. Ry. 5's, 2000	4,098 53	
4000 Inter. Paper 6's, 1955	4,068 50	
1000 Govt. of Argentine 6's, 1960	998 25	
5000 B. & M. Railroad 5's, 1967	4,722 50	
3000 Pennsylvania Co., 1963	2,893 50	
2000 Lawyers Mtge. Investment Corp. 5's, of Boston, 1939	1,960 00	
Deposit Milford Savings Bank	624 45	
		\$57,043 84 \$57,043 84

DETAIL OF LIBRARY TRUST FUND.

Joseph B. Bancroft, Bancroft Fund	\$1,095 60
Estate of Joseph B. Bancroft, Bancroft Fund	1,095 60
Lilla B. Bracken, Sarah M. Whipple Fund	1,095 60
Estate Lura B. Day, Bancroft-Day Fund	5,305 94
Estate Lura B. Day, Joseph B. and Sylvia W. Bancroft Fund	19,244 85
Estate Frances E. Colburn, Frances E. Colburn Fund	9,715 15
Estate Ruth Day Williams, Bancroft- Day Fund	19,491 10
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	\$57,043 84

PUBLIC WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

By balance from last account	\$5,153 43
Profit a/c change in Investment	39 69
To 1000 Amer. Tel. & Tel. 5's, 1960	\$972 00
1000 Southern Ry. 4's, 1956	802 00
2000 Puget Sound Power & Light Co., 5½'s, 1949	1,992 50
1000 Dominion of Canada 4's Gold Bonds due October 1, 1960	877 61
Deposit Milford Savings Bank	549 01
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	\$5,193 12 \$5,193 12

DETAIL OF PUBLIC WELFARE DEPARTMENT TRUST FUND.

Estate Jessie Preston Draper	\$5,193 12
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PARK DEPARTMENT.

By balance from last account		\$1,666 38
Profit a/c change in Investments		39 69
To 1000 Dominion of Canada 4's		
Gold Bonds due October 1, 1960	\$877 61	
500 Amer. Tel. & Tel. 5's, 1960	486 00	
Deposit Milford Savings Bank	342 46	
	\$1,706 07	\$1,706 07

DETAIL OF PARK DEPARTMENT TRUST FUND.

William F., George A. and Eben S. Draper	\$1,706 07
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HOPEDALE VILLAGE CEMETERY.

PERPETUAL CARE FUND.

By balance from last account		\$2,832 21
To 1000 Southern Ry. 4's, 1956	\$802 00	
1000 Puget Sound P. & L. Co., 5½'s,		
1949	996 25	
500 Amer. Tel. & Tel. 5's, 1960	486 00	
Deposit Milford Savings Bank	547 96	
	\$2,832 21	\$2,832 21

DETAIL OF CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS.

Burlingame Lot	\$112 44
Sarah M. Whipple	112 44
Sally Whipple	112 44
Margaret Humphrey	281 07
Joseph B. Bancroft	562 15
Frank J. and Grace M. Dutcher	522 86
S. B. Holbrook	112 44
L. H. Ballou	224 86
Mary Draper	15 73
A. T. Field, account Thwing lot	168 64
P. W. Moody, account Lot No. 45	56 21
W. G. Comstock	56 21
Mary J. Jacques	112 44
J. A. Edmands	112 44
George Scriven	73 07
George H. Cole	112 44
Frank H. French	84 33
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	\$2,832 21

TOWN CEMETERY.

PERPETUAL CARE FUND.

By balance from last account	\$194 41
To deposit Milford Savings Bank	\$194 41
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	\$194 41 \$194 41

DETAIL OF TOWN CEMETERY FUNDS.

Estate of Emily Albee	\$83 31
Estate of Medora Whitney	111 10
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	\$194 41

SUMMARY OF ALL FUNDS.

Library Department	\$57,043 84
Public Welfare Department	5,193 12
Park Department	1,706 07
Hopedale Village Cemetery	2,832 21
Town Cemetery	194 41
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	\$66,969 65

SUMMARY OF ALL INVESTMENTS.

16000 Dominion of Canada, 4's Gold Bonds, 1960	\$14,041 89
5000 B. & M. R. R. 5% Bonds, 1967....	4,722 50
3000 Pennsylvania Co. 4¾% Bonds, 1963	2,893 50
2000 Lawyers' Mtge. Investment Corp. 5's, of Boston, 1939	1,960 00
3000 Puget Sound P. & L. Co., 5½% Bonds, 1949	2,988 75
9600 Chi., Mil., St. P. and Pacific Adj., 5% Bonds, 2000	6,960 00
2400 Chi., Mil., St. P. and Pacific Mtge. 5% Bonds, 1975	2,340 00
10000 Am. Tel. & Tel. 5% Bonds, 1960	9,720 00
12000 Southern Ry. 4% Bonds, 1956	9,919 44
4000 B. & O. Railway 5% Bonds, 2000	4,098 53
1000 Argentine Nation 6% Bonds, 1960	998 25
4000 Inter. Paper 6% Bonds, 1955	4,068 50
Milford Savings Bank	2,258 29
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	\$66,969 65

CHANGE IN INVESTMENTS.

Sold:

\$11,000.00 U. K. of Gt. B. & I., 5½ %	
Bonds, due 1937	\$11,546 68
Cost	11,148 75
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Gain from sale of securities	\$397 93

Purchased:

\$16,000.00 Dominion of Canada 4%	
Bonds, due October, 1960	\$14,041 89

INCOME FROM INVESTMENTS FOR YEAR ENDING

DECEMBER 31, 1933	\$2,889 38	
Paid Library Department	\$2,380 20	
Paid Public Welfare Department	272 75	
Paid Park Department	90 51	
Paid Hopedale Village Cemetery	139 14	
Paid Incidental Department, account Town Cemetery	6 78	
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	\$2,889 38	\$2,889 38

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED A. LOVEJOY, JR.,

Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

INCIDENTAL ACCOUNT.

By Appropriation	\$4,000 00
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To Selectmen:

Salaries	\$500 00	
Expenses	204 68	
		<u>\$704 68</u>

Treasurer:

Salary	\$250 00	
Expenses	158 68	
		<u>\$408 68</u>

Town Clerk:

Salary	\$50 00	
Expenses	63 38	
		<u>\$113 38</u>

Tax Collector:

Salary	\$500 00	
Bond \$140.00 less		
credit on collections		
of \$90.00	50 00	
Expenses	146 83	
		<u>\$696 83</u>

Assessors:

Salary	\$250 00	
Expenses	480 50	
		<u>\$730 50</u>

Elections and Registrations:

Salaries	\$110 00	
Expenses	28 50	
	<hr/>	\$138 50

Law:

Town Counsel	\$500 00	
Expenses	26 45	
	<hr/>	\$526 45

Inspection:

Salaries	\$125 00	
Expenses	4 63	
	<hr/>	\$129 63

Auditor:

Salary		\$50 00
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Sundry and Unclassified:

Printing Town Re- ports	\$261 00	
Certification of Town Notes	10 00	
Bond for Chief of Police	5 00	
Refund Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	127 17	
Miscellaneous	68 95	
	<hr/>	\$472 12

Unexpended Balance		29 23
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\$4,000 00 \$4,000 00

MEMORIAL DAY.

By Appropriation		\$240 00
To Post 22, G. A. R.	\$100 00	
Post 267, A. L.	100 00	
Spanish War Veterans	40 00	
	<hr/>	\$240 00 \$240 00

POLICE.

By Appropriation		\$7,500 00
To Salaries	\$6,162 30	
Expenses	1,186 69	
Unexpended Balance	151 01	
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		\$7,500 00 \$7,500 00

TOWN HALL.

By Appropriation		\$3,000 00
To Janitor Service	\$1,125 59	
Heating	708 79	
Lighting	216 73	
Water	46 21	
Repairs and Supplies	389 18	
Unexpended Balance	513 50	
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		\$3,000 00 \$3,000 00

INSURANCE.

By Appropriation		\$2,900 00
To Orders Drawn	\$2,689 79	
Unexpended Balance	210 21	
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		\$2,900 00 \$2,900 00

CEMETERIES.

By Appropriation		\$100 00
Trust Fund Interest		6 78
To Orders Drawn	\$106 78	
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		\$106 78 \$106 78

STATE AID.

By Appropriation		\$1,000 00
To Orders Drawn	\$950 58	
Unexpended Balance	49 42	
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		\$1,000 00 \$1,000 00

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

By Appropriation	\$2,500 00
Emergency Overdraft	234 15
To Orders Drawn	\$2,734 15

GENERAL DRAPER HIGH SCHOOL BONDS

AND INTEREST.

By Appropriation	\$10,487 50
To Maturing Bonds	7,000 00
Interest	3,487 50

\$10,487 50 \$10,487 50

INTEREST.

By Appropriation	\$1,200 00
To Interest on Borrowed Money	\$579 44
Unexpended Balance	620 56

\$1,200 00 \$1,200 00

TAXES.

State Tax	\$6,840 00
County Tax	7,866 00
Tuberculosis Hospital	33,170 63
Old Age Assistance Tax	995 00
Repairs to State Highway	84 00
State Parks and Reservations Tax	11 85
Dog Tax	439 80
National Bank Tax (1931)	\$2 13
Trust Company Tax (1931)	10
Trust Company Tax (1930)	6 62 8 85

\$49,424 98

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,
 ASA A. WESTCOTT,
 HORACE J. BAUM,
 Board of Selectmen.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

To Vital Statistics	\$97 00	
Care of Patients at Tubercular		
Hospital	802 45	
Care of Patient at Pondville Hos-		
pital	77 50	
Sundries	137 67	
Unexpended Balance	185 38	
	\$1,300 00	\$1,300 00
By Appropriation		\$1,300 00

There were 4 licenses issued to sell Denatured Alcohol.

There were 22 licenses issued to sell Milk and Cream.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,
ASA A. WESTCOTT,
HORACE J. BAUM,
Board of Health.

REPORT OF FENCE VIEWERS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

No complaints.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,
ASA A. WESTCOTT,
HORACE J. BAUM,
Fence Viewers.

REPORT OF
THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

By Appropriation		\$18,000 00
Trust Fund Interest		272 75
Emergency over-draft, a/c Old Age Assistance		94 90
To Cash	\$4,041 33	
Rent	2,020 76	
Food	1,537 84	
Fuel	670 01	
Clothing	65 83	
Medical	180 95	
Hospital	165 00	
Old Age Assistance	4,094 90	
Sundries	3,487 87	
Unexpended Balance	2,103 16	
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		\$18,367 65 \$18,367 65

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,
ASA A. WESTCOTT,
HORACE J. BAUM,
Board of Public Welfare.

APPRAISEMENT OF TOWN PROPERTY

DECEMBER 31, 1933.

Town House	\$80,000 00
Town House lot	1,000 00
Town House, store fixtures	100 00
Town House, post office equipment	1,200 00

SCHOOLS.

School House, Hopedale Street	\$40,000 00
School House lot, 1/2 acre	600 00
School House, South Hopedale	2,000 00
School House lot, 1 acre	300 00
School House, Dutcher Street	70,000 00
School House lot, 1 acre	1,200 00
School House, Park Street	60,000 00
School House lot, Park Street	1,000 00
High School Building	25,000 00
High School Building land, 3 acres	1,000 00
General Draper High School Building, Adin St.	120,000 00
General Draper High School lot, Adin St.	2,000 00
School Bus	1,500 00

LIBRARY.

Bancroft Memorial Library (Building)	\$60,000 00
Public Library (Books and Fixtures)	35,000 00
Mrs. Susan Preston Draper Fountain	15,000 00
Library Lot	2,000 00

PARK.

Band Stand	\$1,800 00
Comfort Station	1,200 00
Bath House	3,000 00

Tool House	100 00
Darling Hill Shelter	500 00
Fisherman's Island Shelter	500 00
Maroney Grove Shelter	500 00
Land, 262 acres	20,500 00

FIRE.

Apparatus	\$30,600 00
Fire Station	40,000 00
Fire Station lot	2,000 00

POLICE.

Equipment	\$250 00
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TREE WARDEN.

Spraying Outfit	\$800 00
Small Tools and Materials	100 00

HIGHWAY PROPERTY.

Five Snow Plows	\$50 00
Small Tools	200 00
Buildings and Land	2,000 00
Road Machine	25 00
Road Machine	50 00
Sweeper	25 00
Steam Roller	750 00
Tractor and Two Plows	500 00
Sidewalk Tractor and Plow	1,500 00
3 Ton Auto Truck and Equipment	500 00
2 Ton Auto Truck	150 00
1 Ton G. M. C. Truck	150 00

CHAS. F. AUSTIN,
 ASA A. WESTCOTT,
 HORACE J. BAUM,
 Selectmen of Hopedale.

ROAD COMMISSIONERS' REPORT

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

General Appropriation	\$14,000 00
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Expenditures:

Labor—General:

Supervision	\$2,411	50
Repairs to Streets, Roads, etc	1,029	21
Cleaning Streets	1,910	91
Sidewalk Repairs	79	43
Snow Removal	814	42
Cleaning Yard	106	60
Jobbing, etc.	571	03
Signs and Signals	117	91
		\$7,041 01

Material, Supplies, Etc.:

Tarvia	\$157	79
Trap Rock, Stone, etc.	143	95
Bridge Repairs	19	60
Snow Plow and Parts	116	23
Sidewalk Plow	1,500	00
Small Tools and Supplies	437	10
		\$2,374 67

Trucks and Maintenance:

Gasoline and Oil	\$636	75
Tires and Chains	83	43
Repairs, Supplies, etc.	312	08
Registrations	10	00
		\$1,042 26

General Expense:

Telephone, Lights and Water	\$132 03	
Sewer Fees	180 00	
Hospital, etc. a/c Injuries	17 00	
Clerical	50 00	
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		\$379 03

Trees—Spraying, Etc.:

Labor and Material		326 92
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Mendon Street Changes, Widening
and Fence:

Labor	\$539 62	
Material	794 85	
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		\$1,334 47

Total Expenditures	\$12,498 36
Balance Unexpended	1,501 64

Street Lighting:

General Appropriation	\$4,800 00
Electric Current and Service	4,742 89

Balance Unexpended	<hr/> \$57 11
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Respectfully submitted,

G. RUSSELL GOFF,

THOMAS H. WEST, 3RD,

RAYMOND SMETHURST,

Road Commissioners.

During the year the Town Treasurer reports receipts from materials sold and charges to others for labor and materials furnished by the Highway Department, as follows:

Spraying Trees	\$285 25
Sidewalk Repairs	102 00
Loaning Steam Roller	215 00
Miscellaneous	26 38
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	\$628 63

**REPORT OF THE
ENGINEERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.**

By Appropriation		\$8,000 00
To Pay Roll	\$6,120 70	
Fuel	829 32	
Water	85 72	
Light	129 40	
Alarm	71 16	
Telephone	126 36	
Apparatus	323 56	
Sundries	306 22	
Unexpended Balance	7 56	
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	\$8,000 00	\$8,000 00

HOSE.

By Appropriation		\$300 00
To C. B. Hardy	\$300 00	
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	\$300 00	\$300 00

BRUSH FIRES.

By Appropriation		\$200 00
To Pay of Firemen	\$67 50	
Draper Corporation	3 72	
Unexpended Balance	128 78	
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	\$200 00	\$200 00

HYDRANTS.

By Appropriation		\$4,920 00
To Milford Water Co.	\$4,920 00	
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	\$4,920 00	\$4,920 00

ROSTER OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

1933.

BOARD OF ENGINEERS.

Samuel E. Kellogg, Chief.

F. G. Crockett, Assistant Chief,

W. E. Whitney, Second Assistant.

Clerk for Engineers—Wm. Ferguson.

MEMBERS.

Ladder No. 1.

J. J. Grant, Captain	Henry Cyr
A. Howarth, Lieutenant	Davis Sanborn
C. E. Barrows, Clerk	
R. Sadler	Substitutes.
D. Lescoe	John Francis
S. Barrows	Gus Safstrom

Combination No. 1.

W. E. Taylor, Captain	John Stanas
Milton Doxey, Lieutenant	Norman Downing
Geo. A. Fuller, Clerk-Treas.	William Bird
George Bayley	
Fred Lee	Substitutes.
Harry Scanlon	Everett Coffin
Asa Jones	Roy Weaver

Chemical No. 1.

J. A. Hanley, Capt.-Treas.	A. J. Clements
G. P. Shepherd, Lieut.-Clerk	
Charles Young	
Charles Watson	Substitutes.
G. Leslie Hamant	W. A. Shanahan
John Creamer	Peter Allen
Howard Whitney	Victor Yorke

Caretakers.

A. W. Lamb
Harold W. Ward

Gordon O. Loukes

Spare Drivers.

M. J. Creamer
M. Doxey
Charles Watson
John Creamer

George Fuller
John Stanas
G. Leslie Hamant

RECORD OF FIRES

1933.

Jan.	7.	3.45 A.M.	Box 62.	Residence of Millard M. Bracci, 130 Mendon St.
Jan.	7.	7.00 A.M.	Box 62.	Recall at above residence.
Jan.	14.	4.15 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Grass fire near High School.
Jan.	14.	5.40 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire, residence T. H. West, 22 Adin St.
Feb.	4.	11.15 A.M.	Still Alarm.	Grass fire on land owned by C. H. Draper.
Mar.	10.	3.40 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire, residence F. Rollins, 5 Inman St.
Mar.	15.	4.20 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire, residence J. Hannigan, So. Main St.
Mar.	30.	5.45 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Grass fire, Cemetery St.
Apr.	12.	4.10 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire, Brae Burn Inn.

Apr.	13.	8.00 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire, residence L. Taylor, Williams Sq.
Apr.	19.	10.00 A.M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire, residence W. Corey, 2 Soward St.
Apr.	20.	6.30 A.M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire, residence Wm. Stearns, Progress St.
Apr.	22.	10.30 A.M.	Still Alarm.	Grass fire, rear garages on Prospect St.
Apr.	25.	9.20 A.M.	Still Alarm.	Grass fire on Mendon Hill.
Apr.	28.	9.45 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Hen house owned by C. D. Gilmore, So. Main St.
May	3.	2.00 A.M.	Still Alarm.	Emergency call, assist in removing horse from cellar, barn owned by G. R. Randall, 330 So. Main St.
May	19.	8.30 A.M.	Still Alarm.	Remove cat from tree on Park St.
May	25.	2.00 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire, residence of C. F. Northrop, 198 So. Main St.
June	18.	1.00 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Grass fire on Jones Rd.
June	24.	2.45 A.M.	House Call	Called to Milford to assist at fire in Friendly Shoe Company.
June	28.	4.45 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Grass fire on Inman St.
July	2.	1.00 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Grass fire on Jones Rd.
July	4.	10.00 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Rubbish in road at R. R. Bridge on Hopedale St.
				Freedom St.
July	20.	3.00 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Fire at Dump.
Aug.	1.	8.30 A.M.	Still Alarm.	Fire at Dump.

Aug.	1.	9.00 P.M.	House Call.	Called to Upton, to assist at fire in barn owned by Wm. Knowlton & Sons Company.
Aug.	11.	12.05 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Oil stove fire, at 40 Progress St.
Aug.	26.	5.10 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Fire at Freedom St. Dump.
Sept.	14.	8.15 A.M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire at residence of A. D'Alio, 106 Jones Rd.
Sept.	18.	10.30 A.M.	Still Alarm.	Residence of Geo. W. Damon, 29 Dutcher St. (oil stove).
Oct.	27.	9.00 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Leaves on Dutcher St.
Oct.	30.	8.45 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Leaves on Adin St.
Oct.	31.	7.30 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Leaves on Mendon St.
Nov.	1.	6.30 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Leaves at corner of Cemetery and Hope Sts.
Nov.	3.	4.45 P.M.	Still Alarm.	Fire at Freedom St. Dump.
Dec.	22.	5.45 P.M.	Box 35.	Residence of A. Malasian, 10 Maple St.

PROPERTY.

Combination No. 1	\$13,000 00
Combination No. 2	1,000 00
Chemical No. 1	2,000 00
Ladder No. 1	4,500 00
Forest Fire Truck	800 00
Chief's Car	300 00
Fire Alarm Telegraph	5,500 00
Hose (6500 feet in good condition)	3,000 00
Extinguishers, supplies, etc.	500 00
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	\$30,600 00

1933.
HOPEDALE
FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH SYSTEM.

Box.

- 25. Draper Corp. Yard—Shipping Platform.
- 26. Hopedale Street—Opposite Union.
- 27. Dutcher Street—Central Station.
- 32. Union Street—Corner Prospect.
- 33. Dutcher Street—Corner Freedom.
- 35. Northrop Street—Corner Freedom.
- 36. Northrop Street—Between Park and Oak Streets.
- 37. Dutcher Street—Corner Dennett.
- 38. Dutcher Street—Opposite F. E. Douglas'.
- 39. Dutcher Street—Opposite C. E. Nutting's.
- 42. Bancroft Park—West Side.
- 43. Lake Street—South Side.
- 45. Freedom Street—West of Bridge.
- 46. Hope Street—Near Coal & Ice Co. Office.
- 53. Hopedale Street—Corner Adin.
- 57. Adin Street—Opposite E. S. Draper's.
- 58. Daniels Street—Corner Highland.
- 59. Mendon Street—Near Highland Street.
- 62. Mendon Street—Corner Hopedale.
- 64. Westcott's Mills—Spindleville.
- 65. Mendon Street—Corner Hill.
- 72. Blanchard's Corner, South Hopedale (Tel. Box).
- 74. Green Store, South Hopedale (Tel. Box).

SIGNALS.

- 1 Blast—Chief of Department or Squad Call.
- 2 Blasts—All Out, or Recall.
- 8 Blasts—Forest Fire, or House Call.

Box Test Saturdays at 5.30 P. M.—One Round.

Phones: Central Station 670

Chief 248-W

S. E. KELLOGG,
 F. G. CROCKETT,
 W. E. WHITNEY,
 Board of Fire Engineers.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

Valuation of Real Estate excluding land	\$2,020,330 00
Valuation of Real Estate excluding buildings	349,676 00
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Total Value of Real Estate	\$2,370,006 00
Valuation of Personal Estate	1,736,395 00
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Total Valuation	\$4,106,401 00
Tax Rate per \$1000	\$33 00
Tax on Property	\$135,511 50
Number of Polls Assessed	959
Tax on each Poll	\$2 00
Tax on Polls	\$1,918 00
Number of "Old Age Assist- ance Tax" Assessed	985
Tax on each	\$1 00
Total on Old Age Assistance Tax	\$985 00
Committed on Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	\$4,380 70
Total amount raised by Taxation	\$142,795 20
Corporation Tax, Business, 1933	13,842 39
Corporation Tax, Railroad, Telephone & Tele- graph, 1933	100 15
Corporation Tax, Railroad, Telephone & Tele- graph, 1932	2 83
Corporation Tax, Gas, Electric Light and Water, 1933	106 90

Bank Tax, 1933	810 64
Trust Company Tax, 1933	22 12
Trust Company Tax, 1932	63
Income Tax, 1933	9,089 00
Old Age Assistance Tax	1,014 67
Federal Emergency Relief	1,893 38

\$169,677 91

Number of persons assessed on property	548
Number of polls assessed	959
Number of horses assessed	22
Number of cows assessed	79
Number of neat cattle assessed	10
Number of swine assessed	11
Number of fowl assessed	2265
Number of dwelling houses assessed	580
Acres of land assessed	2898
Population	3050

GEO. W. LUNT,
WARREN W. DUTCHER,
A. D. JOHNSON,

Assessors.

COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

1932 TAXES.

REAL ESTATE, PERSONAL ESTATE, OLD AGE ASSISTANCE AND POLL.

Uncollected at last report	\$165 70	
Interest collected	2 00	
Fees collected	35	
By Cash paid A. A. Lovejoy, Jr., Treasurer		\$118 26
Taxes abated		49 79
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	\$168 05	\$168 05

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE.

Uncollected at last report	\$35 13	
Interest collected	42	
Fees collected	70	
By Cash paid A. A. Lovejoy, Jr., Treasurer		\$36 25
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	\$36 25	\$36 25

1933 TAXES.

REAL ESTATE, PERSONAL ESTATE, OLD AGE ASSISTANCE AND POLL.

To committed for collection	\$138,414 50
Interest collected	23 17
Fees collected	38 40

By Cash paid A. A. Lovejoy, Jr., Treasurer	\$137,771 56	
Old Age Assistance Taxes paid by State Treasurer	17 00	
Taxes abated	104 44	
Uncollected	583 07	
	\$138,476 07	\$138,476 07

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE.

To committed for collection	\$4,380 70	
Interest collected	4 54	
Fees collected	30 85	
By Cash paid A. A. Lovejoy, Jr., Treasurer	\$4,338 33	
Taxes abated	21 61	
Uncollected	56 15	
	\$4,416 09	\$4,416 09

SEWER ASSESSMENTS.

To committed for collection	\$360 00	
By Cash paid A. A. Lovejoy, Jr., Treasurer	\$360 00	
	\$360 00	\$360 00

EUGENE S. NEWHALL,
Collector.

REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

The work of the Department, including the suppression of Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths, has been carried on by the Highway Department.

FRANK S. CLARK,
Tree Warden.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

Hopedale, Mass., Dec. 31, 1933.

TO THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN, HOPEDALE, MASS.:—

Gentlemen:—

I submit to you my report for the year as Inspector. An inspection of all cattle and swine, and the premises where the same are kept, was made during the year 1933 and report sent to the State.

Respectfully submitted,

A. W. LAMB,

Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF
INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

Hopedale, Mass., Dec. 31, 1933.

TO THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN, HOPEDALE, MASS.:—

Gentlemen:—

I submit to you my report as Inspector of Slaughtering.
Have had to make two inspections this year.

Respectfully submitted,

A. W. LAMB,

Inspector of Slaughtering.

REPORT OF
SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

I have tested and sealed the following scales, weights and measures:

- 7 Platform scales over 5,000 lbs.
- 32 Platform scales under 5,000 lbs.
- 7 Computing scales.
- 22 Counter scales.
- 5 Beam scales.
- 6 Spring scales over 100 lbs.
- 6 Spring scales under 100 lbs.
- 1 Apothecary scale.
- 201 Weights.
- 21 Liquid measures.
- 4 Yard sticks.
- 9 Measuring pumps.
- 1 Balance counter.
- 1 Lumber scale.
- 1 Beamington counter.

I have adjusted the following:

- 2 Platform scales over 5,000 lbs.
- 8 Platform scales under 5,000 lbs.

I have inspected:

- 20 Milk wagons and trucks.
- 15 Oil trucks.
- 2 Oil Tanks (1 240 gal., 1 320 gal.)
- 1 Junk wagon.
- 401 Pedlers' licenses.

I have collected in fees and turned over to the Town Treasurer, \$46.74.

Respectfully submitted,

LEWIS W. BARROWS,

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

REPORT OF AUDITOR

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

I have examined and verified the financial transactions of the Town of Hopedale as recorded on the books of the several departments, and find that the disbursements are covered by paid bills which correspond with the orders drawn on, and paid by, the Town Treasurer.

The books and accounts of the Town Treasurer I have examined and checked in detail. The recorded receipts I have checked wherever possible with the sources from which money was paid to the Town Treasurer. The payments were checked with the orders authorizing the disbursement of town funds. I have verified the cash balance on hand as of December 31, 1933 by a reconciliation of the accounts with the statements furnished by the banks.

I have examined the accounts of the Tax Collector and find them to be correct. The commitments of taxes and abatements were proved and checked to the assessors' records. The amounts covering fees and interest were verified, and all payments to the Treasurer were checked to the Treasurer's Cash Book.

In accordance with Section 53 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, as amended, I have examined and checked the securities and savings bank accounts representing the investment of the Trust Funds in the custody of the Town Treasurer, and find that they are as stated in the Town Treasurer's report on trust funds.

Respectfully submitted,
S. WALTER BATTY,
Auditor.

THIRTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT
OF
PARK COMMISSIONERS
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

AVAILABLE FOR USE OF PARK DEPARTMENT.

General Appropriation	\$2,000 00
Interest on Trust Fund	90 51

EXPENDITURES.

PLAYGROUNDS.

Athletic Goods	\$26 80	
Comfort Station	37 96	
Supplies and Repairs	52 46	
Labor	672 32	
	<hr/>	\$789 54

BATH HOUSE.

Supplies and Repairs	\$25 88	
Labor	463 67	
	<hr/>	\$489 55

PARK RESERVATION.

Roads and Paths	\$322 48
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BALLOU LOT.

Labor	\$73 80	
Water	6 00	
	<hr/>	\$79 80

ADIN STREET LOT.

Labor	\$126 50
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OTHER CHARGES.

Tools	\$142 11	
Work on Trees	117 36	
	<hr/>	\$259 47

Balance Unexpended	23 17
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	<hr/>	\$2,090 51	\$2,090 51
Credit Rebate on Gasoline			38

FRANK S. CLARK, Chairman,
 RICHARD HEYWOOD, Secretary,
 L. MARSHALL NEWELL,
 Park Commissioners.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE REPORT.
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

AVAILABLE FOR SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation	\$47,500 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Supervision	\$1,587 60
Superintendent's Expenses	112 50
Teaching	28,766 08
Text Books	827 99
School Supplies	652 83
Incidentals:	
Chemicals, cooking supplies, labor, etc.	1,760 10
Care of Buildings	3,442 81
Fuel	4,356 76
Water, gas, janitors' supplies, etc.	1,429 62
Repairs to buildings, etc.	1,904 34
School Physician and Nurse	750 00
Transportation	446 42
Miscellaneous expenses, postage, graduation expenses, etc.	260 01
Reports, printing, clerical, etc.	496 05
New equipment	252 50
Unexpended	454 39

	\$47,500 00	\$47,500 00
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The above figures show the Town Appropriation and the bills which have been paid for the calendar year of 1933.

The Town Treasurer has received either directly or indirectly from the School Department, the following:

Lunches	\$698 61	
Telephones	12 85	
Materials sold and miscellaneous receipts	40 60	
Tuition—State Wards	988 57	
Tuition—City of Boston Wards	427 78	
Tuition—Other	20 10	
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	\$2,188 51	
Partial reimbursement toward amounts paid teachers and superintendent for year ending June 30, 1933, as per statement of Department of Education	\$3,830 00	
	<hr/>	\$6,018 51

VOCATIONAL TRAINING TUITION.

Appropriation	\$1,000 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Worcester Industrial School	\$1,000 00	
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	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00

The State Department of Education will reimburse the Town during the year 1934 for approximately one-half of the above expenditure.

G. RUSSELL GOFF, Chairman,
HAMILTON W. THAYER,
HENRIETTA LAPWORTH,
School Committee.

SCHOOL DIRECTORY, 1933-1934.

Office of Superintendent of Schools: High School Building, Telephone 1630.
Superintendent, Carroll H. Drown. Clerk, Laura M. Drown.

Office open 8-12 A. M. and 1-5.30 P. M. on school days and during Summer vacation. Employment and Educational Certificates granted at any time during office hours.

Telephone Connections: High School, Milford 1630; Dutcher Street School, Milford 904; Park Street School, Milford 874-R.

TEACHERS.

NAME.	SUBJECT OR GRADE.	LOCAL ADDRESS.
HIGH SCHOOL.		
Winburn A. Dennett, Prin.	Math. and Science	5 Dennett Street
Lucy E. Day	French and Latin	17 Daniels Street
Marshall H. Nye	History and Science	44 Bancroft Park
Adelaide Schneider	English and Latin	88 Dutcher Street
Lucille R. Ambler	Commercial and English	34 Dutcher Street
Harriet E. Sornborger	Librarian	32 Dutcher Street

DUTCHER STREET SCHOOL.

Junior High, Grades 7-8		
Donald E. Allison, Prin.	Arith., Gen. Sci., Geog., Hygiene	45 Inman Street
Mildred E. Cressey	English, Read., Hyg.	59 Prospect Street
Lillian A. Smyth	Hist., Civ., Geog., Hyg.	Uxbridge, Mass.
Jessie L. Gover	Grades Five and Six	19 Hopedale Street
Lillian T. Knight	Grade Six	6 So. Main St., Milford
Gladys R. Crowell	Grade Five	3 Beech Street

CHAPEL STREET SCHOOL.

Mildred A. Goodenough	Grades Three and Four	34 Dutcher Street
Jennie E. Sherbert	Grade Two	West Medway, Mass.
Helen Redgrave	Grade One	32 Dutcher Street
Frances J. Legge	Kindergarten	103 Mendon Street
Margaret L. Symonds	Kind. Asst. A. M.	187 Dutcher Street
Beryl M. Rogers	Kind. Asst. P. M. and Instructor in Sewing	34 Mendon Street

PARK STREET SCHOOL.

Antoinette F. Batchelor, Prin.	Grade Four	10 Mendon Street
Olive E. Bowen	Grade Three	32 Dutcher Street
Iona M. Crowell	Grades One and Two	3 Beech Street

SPECIAL TEACHERS.

Amy Young Burns	Music	275 Beacon Street, Boston
Clarice E. Seagrave	Drawing	Uxbridge, Mass.

School Nurse—

Helen C. Grady, R. N., District Nursing Association, Tel. Milford 862.
Mildred Salmond, R. N., Assistant

School Janitors—Joseph W. Gibbs, Foreman, Tel. Milford 427-15. Ernest A. Parkinson, High School. John H. Holbrook, Dutcher and Chapel Street Schools. J. W. Gibbs, Park Street School.

SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1934.

ELEMENTARY GRADES AND JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL.

First Winter Term	January 2—February 16	Seven Weeks
	Vacation One Week	
Second Winter Term	February 26—April 20	Eight Weeks
	Vacation One Week	
Spring Term	April 30—June 22	Eight Weeks
	Summer Vacation	
Fall Term	September 5—December 14	Fifteen Weeks
	Vacation Two Weeks	
First Winter Term	Opens December 31	

HIGH SCHOOL.

First Winter Term	January 2—February 16	Seven Weeks
	Vacation One Week	
Second Winter Term	February 26—April 20	Eight Weeks
	Vacation One Week	
Spring Term	April 30—June 22	Eight Weeks
	Summer Vacation	
Fall Term	September 5—December 21	Sixteen Weeks
	Vacation One Week	
First Winter Term	Opens December 31	

LEGAL HOLIDAYS, 1934.

January 1, February 22, April 19, May 30, September 3,
October 12, November 12, November 29, December 25.

FORTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL
GRADUATION
OF THE
HOPEDALE HIGH SCHOOL
TOWN HALL
FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 23, 1933,
AT EIGHT O'CLOCK

PROGRAMME.

Music—Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones,

17th Century German Melody

HIGH SCHOOL MIXED CHORUS

Invocation

REVEREND VERNON H. DEMING

Salutatory—Yesterday, Today, and Forever

INGEBORG EARNSBY

Class Prophecy of 1933

MARJORIE BERTHA SCOTT

Music

(a) Down in Mobile

Southern Song

(b) We Meet Again Tonight

BOYS' GLEE CLUB

Essay—The Quinshepaug Plantation

ERNEST ROCKWELL DALTON

Class History of 1933

CARLETON NICKERSON GOFF

Music

(a) Peter Pan (Cycle of Songs) *Mrs. H.H. A. Beach*

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

(b) Lovely Appear *Gounod*

HIGH SCHOOL MIXED CHORUS

Reading—Leif the Lucky *Eastman*

ELIDIO ANTONIO ALLEGREZZA

Valedictory—The Alabama Ghost Materializes

ALBERT HALLIER JOHNSON

Presentation of Diplomas

Class Song *Ralph Harold Winn*

THE SENIOR CLASS

Music—Emitte Spiritum Tuum *Schuetky*

HIGH SCHOOL MIXED CHORUS

Reception to the Graduating Class

GRADUATES.

KARL RICHARD ADAMS.

ELIDIO ANTONIO ALLEGREZZA

SHIRLEY AUDREY AUSTIN

VILJA ROSE BELL

IRVINE BROOM

PIA LILLIAN CANAL

MARION JOSEPHINE CROSBY

ERNEST ROCKWELL DALTON

EDWARD FREDERICK DAMON

BERYL DAWES.

LYMAN ANDREW DRAPER

INGEBORG EARNSBY

PAUL ROBERT GIBBS

CARLETON NICKERSON GOFF

ALBERT HALLIER JOHNSON

MINAS MINASIAN

MARJORIE BERTHA SCOTT

ARLENE ELIZABETH SEVILLE

JACOB HAROLD SNEIDERMAN

ALBERT HENRY SODERBERG

BETH ELEANOR TIFFANY

MARION FRANCES WESTCOTT

ATHLEEN WILLIAMS

RALPH HAROLD WINN

CLASS OFFICERS.

President—CARLETON NICKERSON GOFF

Vice-President—MARJORIE BERTHA SCOTT

Secretary—MARION FRANCES WESTCOTT

Treasurer—ALBERT HALLIER JOHNSON

Class Motto—SUCCEDEMUS

Class Colors—GREEN AND GOLD

Class Flower—TALISMAN ROSE

GRADUATION EXERCISES
HOPEDALE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

DUTCHER STREET SCHOOL HALL

6.00 P. M.,

THURSDAY, JUNE 22, 1933.

Motto—PERSEVERANCE WINS

Colors—MAGENTA AND GOLD

PROGRAM.

March	Class Processional
Invocation	Rev. JB Hollis Tegarden
Welcome	Glenn E. Stover
Song—Cheer Up Do— <i>Coverley</i>	Class
Essay—Opportunities for the Girl of To-Day	
	E. Eileen Barrett
Essay—The Development of the Airplane	
	Richard L. Childs
Songs—(a) Lullaby— <i>Brahms</i>	Class
(b) Marianina—Italian Folk Tune	
Essay—The Old Chestnut Hill Meeting House	
	Gladys L. Atkinson
Essay—Calvin Coolidge	A. Hubert Turner

Song—Will o' the Wisp—*Spross* Class
 Essay—Our Forests and Reforestation Frederick M. Sawa
 Class Prophecy Carolyn E. Woodbury
 Song—A Dream Boat Passes By—*Lemare* Class
 Essay—Roger Williams Park Viola Minasian
 Essay and Closing Address—
 Education During the Depression Isabelle Forster
 Presentation of Diplomas—
 G. Russell Goff, Chairman of School Committee
 Class Song—(Words by Phyllis Wiggin)
 Presentation of History Medal American Legion
 Benediction Rev. JB Hollis Tegarden
 Reception

GRADUATES

Allegrezza, Virginia C.	Izzo, Fred P.
Ambler, Dorothy	Lapworth, C. Howard, Jr.
Atkinson, Gladys L.	McGowan, Ruth L.
Barrett, E. Eileen	Metcalf, Frederick W., Jr.
Barrows, Alwilda M.	Minasian, Viola
Barry, Earl F.	Noferi, Angelo L.
Bracci, Pauline L.	Phillips, John P.
Bresciani, Edith M.	Richardson, Harold T.
Childs, Richard L.	Sawa, Frederick M.
Clement, Arthur A.	Stead, Fred G.
D'Alessandro, Domenico E.	Stover, Glenn E.
Dalio, Lucy	Trotto, Christine M.
Durgin, Lawrence D.	Turner, A. Hubert
Forster, Isabelle	Urquhart, Lloyd G.
Hammond, Ethlyn L.	Wiggin, Phyllis M.
Hildreth, Flora M.	Wood, Rose M.
Hoyle, Eleanor M.	Woodbury, Carolyn E.

REGULATIONS OF THE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

No child can enter the first grade unless such child shall become six years of age on or before October 1 following the opening of the fall term he wishes to enter. For entrance to the first grade this coming fall a child must be six years of age on or before October 1, 1934.

No child can enter the kindergarten unless such child shall become five years of age on or before October 1 following the opening of the fall term he wishes to enter. For a child to enter the kindergarten this coming fall he must be five years of age on or before October 1, 1934. No child can enter school after October first except by special permission.

Provided by law, a birth certificate must be presented when a child first enters school. The law also requires that all children who attend public schools shall be vaccinated.

We urge that all children enter the kindergarten, as this is the school in which the work of the beginning of reading, number work, etc., is taken up. A child who enters the first grade without having attended the kindergarten is thus handicapped by not having the advantages of the beginning work given in the kindergarten.

Any pupil who has been out of school on account of a contagious disease is not to return to school until he has secured a certificate signed by a physician. This certificate will be exchanged through the superintendent's office for a return permit to be given the teacher.

As required by law, when a minor secures a work certificate he must leave a birth certificate to be placed on file for inspection, in the office of the superintendent of schools. When the minor becomes twenty-one years of age this birth certificate may be returned.

The office of this union school district has available about seven hundred birth record certificates of persons who are now over twenty-one years of age. We will be very glad to deliver these to their owners. It is requested that any persons who have left birth certificates for employment certificates within the last twenty years and who are now twenty-one years of age, please call the office of the superintendent for these certificates. Many of them are valuable and may be of real use to you sometime.

PRIZE AWARDS.

GENERAL DRAPER HIGH SCHOOL.

PRIZE SPEAKING CONTEST, MAY 26, 1933.

First Prize Glenna M. Woodhead
 Second Prize Ralph H. Winn
 Honorable Mention Lyman A. Draper

SONS OF AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

American History Medal Ernest R. Dalton

LEGION AUXILIARY PRIZE.

For Good Citizenship Shown in School Carleton N. Goff

PATRICK PEACE ESSAY PRIZE.

First Prize Ernest R. Dalton

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL.

American Legion History Medal Richard L. Childs

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES JANUARY 1, 1934
AGES AS OF OCTOBER 1, 1933.

BOYS

Ages	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	Total
Kindergarten	24																24
Grade I		28															28
Grade II			21	3	1												25
Grade III			2	19	8												31
Grade IV					20	2											29
Grade V						11	4	2		1							18
Grade VI							15	11	2	2	1						29
Grade VII								15	9	2	3	1		1			31
Grade VIII								2	10	3		2					17
Total Boys of Elementary Grades	24	28	23	22	29	20	21	30	19	8	4	3		1			232
High School																	
IX									1	4	10	4	1				20
X											13	8	4				25
XI										1	11	6	3			1	22
XII												1	9	2	1	1	14
Total Boys in High School									1	5	34	19	17	2	1	2	81
Total Boys in All Schools	24	28	23	22	29	20	21	30	20	13	38	22	17	3	1	2	313

GIRLS

Ages	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	Total
Kindergarten	24																24
Grade I		15	6														21
Grade II		1	34	3													38
Grade III			1	19	9												29
Grade IV					25	4	1										30
Grade V					1	19	5	2	1	1							29
Grade VI						1	30	3	3								37
Grade VII							5	13	8	1	1	2					30
Grade VIII								2	11	5	1						19
Total Girls of Elementary Grades	24	16	41	22	35	24	41	20	23	7	2	2					257
High School																	
IX										12	1	2	1				16
X										3	6	1					10
XI											2	6	2	1		1	12
XII												10	4				14
Total Girls in High School										15	9	9	13	5		1	52
Total Girls in All Schools	24	16	41	22	35	24	41	20	23	22	11	11	13	5		1	309
Grand Totals	48	44	64	44	64	44	62	50	43	35	49	33	30	8	1	3	622

Heavy type figures represent those of normal age for the grade.

ATTENDANCE STATISTICS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1932--1933.

Schools	Total Enrollment			Non-Resident	Aggregate Attendance	Average Daily Attendance	Average Membership	Enrollment October 1, 1932			Number of Pupils Not Enrolled in Any other Town in the State			No. of Pupils 5 to 7 Years of Age	No. of Pupils 7 to 14 Years of Age	No. of Pupils 14 to 16 Years of Age	No. of Pupils 16 Years of Age or Over	No. of Pupils Having Perfect Attendance	Per Cent. of Attendance
	Total	Boys	Girls					Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls						
High School	158	99	59	1	27184.	147.73	151.96	154	98	56	158	99	59	0	4	75	79	35	97.21
Dutcher St.																			
Grade 8 Sp.	21	14	7	3	3039.	16.88	18.15	21	14	7	21	14	7	0	7	12	2	2	93.00
Grade 8	39	17	22	1	6518.	36.31	37.53	38	16	22	38	16	22	0	19	17	2	3	96.76
Grade 7	41	19	22	2	6921.	38.45	40.33	41	19	22	41	19	22	0	34	6	1	5	95.33
Grade 6	39	20	19	0	6438.	35.86	37.36	37	19	18	38	20	18	0	37	1	0	4	95.98
Grades 5 & 6	43	15	28	1	6794.	37.85	39.55	40	14	26	42	14	28	0	41	1	0	2	95.70
Grades 4 & 5	38	19	19	1	6442.	35.88	37.52	38	19	19	37	19	18	0	37	0	0	4	95.62
Chapel St.																			
Grade 3	39	18	21	1	6496.5	36.09	37.91	38	17	21	38	17	21	0	38	0	0	2	95.21
Grade 2	46	26	20	5	6865.5	38.14	40.01	43	24	19	43	24	19	4	39	0	0	0	95.32
Grade 1	34	17	17	7	4862.5	26.86	30.11	31	15	16	31	15	16	27	4	0	0	0	89.20
Kindergarten	52	27	25	2	7354.	40.62	47.69	51	26	25	52	27	25	52	0	0	0	0	85.18
Park St.																			
Grade 4	41	16	25	1	6848.	38.15	39.74	40	15	25	40	15	25	0	40	0	0	0	96.01
Grades 2 & 3	40	19	21	1	6265.	34.71	36.97	40	19	21	39	19	20	1	38	0	0	0	93.89
Grade 1	37	13	24	0	5690.5	31.70	34.06	37	13	24	37	13	24	33	4	0	0	0	93.07
Totals	668	339	329	26	107718.	595.23	628.89	649	328	321	655	331	324	117	342	112	84	57	94.65

Forty-eighth Annual Report
OF
The Bancroft Memorial Library

Hopedale, Massachusetts

FOR THE
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933

TRUSTEES

HARRY A. BILLINGS, Secretary	Term expires 1934
ANNA M. BANCROFT, Chairman	Term expires 1935
WALLACE I. STIMPSON	Term expires 1936

LIBRARIAN.

MADELEINE R. BURRILL, May, 1931—

JUVENILE DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT IN CHARGE.

ZETA A. SNODGRASS.

PART TIME ASSISTANTS.

Marjorie E. Arnold	Ingeborg Earnsby
Frances Lewis	

JANITOR.

JAMES H. YOUNG.

SOUTH HOPEDALE BRANCH.

LIBRARIAN.

MISS A. A. CALDWELL, February, 1924—

The Trustees of The Bancroft Memorial Library present herewith the report of the Librarian and the various financial reports for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1933.

Due to better business conditions and longer hours of labor, the circulation of books from the Main Library has dropped back a little to a more normal position, but the fact that the circulation still equals thirteen and a fraction books for each inhabitant of the Town per year, shows something of the importance of this institution in the educational and social life of the townspeople.

It was necessary to make some unusual repairs in re-setting part of the fountain and rearranging the shrubbery, and with a considerable reduction in estimated income from Trust Funds, our Library Department closes its year without carrying forward balance from Trust Funds, as in former years.

The Trustees greatly appreciate the use by the townspeople of the facilities offered by this institution and cordially invite any suggestions or criticisms regarding the conduct of the same.

The Trustees appreciate the hearty cooperation with the Librarian and her assistants, and respectfully ask for a continuance of the same.

ANNA M. BANCROFT,
WALLACE I. STIMPSON,
HARRY A. BILLINGS,

Trustees.

THE BANCROFT MEMORIAL LIBRARY
FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1933.

Receipts:

General Appropriation	\$2,700 00	
Special Appropriation	300 00	
	<hr/>	\$3,000 00

Income from Funds, Year 1933:

Bancroft Fund	\$91 43	
S. M. Whipple Fund	45 71	
Bancroft-Day Fund (Lura B. Day)	221 41	
Bancroft-Day Fund (Ruth Day Williams)	813 28	
Joseph B. and Sylvia W. Bancroft Fund	803 00	
Frances E. Colburn Fund	405 37	
Interest on Balance	7 53	
Balance from year 1932	213 94	
	<hr/>	\$2,601 67

Total receipts	<hr/>	\$5,601 67
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Expenditures:

Books purchased:

From appropriation	\$41 01	
From Bancroft-Day Fund (R. D. Williams)	283 86	
Bancroft Fund	103 99	
Sarah M. Whipple Fund	46 51	
Bancroft-Day Fund (L. B. Day)	221 41	
	<hr/>	\$696 78

From Funds:

Periodicals	\$140 70	
Binding	142 41	
	<hr/>	\$283 11

Salaries Paid:

From Bancroft-Day Fund (R. D. Williams)	\$151 17	
From Joseph B. and Sylvia W. Bancroft Fund	834 00	
Frances E. Colburn Fund	405 37	
From General Appropriation	2,162 43	
	<hr/>	\$3,552 97

From Funds:

Removing Ashes	\$50 00
Fertilizer	3 50
Water	15 15
Telephone	42 00
Postage	10 05
Printing	32 00
Transportation to South Hopedale	18 50
P. O. Box Rent	4 00
Express	1 25
Supplies	93 80
Labor	2 00

Total General Expenses	\$272 25
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Lighting, Appropriation	\$204 37	
Heating, Appropriation	311 08	
	<hr/>	\$515 45

Repairs, Appropriation:

Floors	\$17 23	
General	263 88	
	<hr/>	\$281 11

Total Expenses	\$5,601 67
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SUMMARY.

Receipts:

From Appropriations \$3,000 00

Paid:

From Appropriations:

Books	\$41 01
Salaries	2,162 43
Heat	311 08
Light	204 37
Repairs	281 11
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	\$3,000 00

Receipts:

Income from Funds \$2,601 67

Paid:

From Income from Funds:

Books	\$655 77
Periodicals	140 70
Binding	142 41
Salaries	1,390 54
General Expenses	272 25
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	\$2,601 67

Grand Total	\$5,601 67	\$5,601 67
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STATEMENT OF FUNDS.

NAME	DONOR	Date	Purpose	Principal of Funds	1932 Balance Income Dec. 31	1933 Income	1933 Expended	1933 Balance Dec. 31
Bancroft Fund	{ Joseph B. Bancroft and Sylvia W. Bancroft \$1000 Joseph B. Bancroft \$1000 }	{ Sept. 11 1897 March 9 1910 }	Books	\$2,191.20	\$ 12.56	\$ 91.43	\$ 103.99	\$ 0.00
Sarah M. Whipple Fund	Lilla Bancroft Bracken	Oct. 3 1913	Juvenile Books	1,095.60	.80	45.71	46.51	0.00
Bancroft-Day Fund	Lura Bancroft Day	July 28 1914	Decided by Trustees	5,305.94	0.00	221.41	221.41	0.00
Bancroft-Day Fund	Ruth Day Williams	July 1 1926	Decided by Trustees	19,491.10	169.58	820.81	990.39	0.00
Joseph B. and Sylvia W. Bancroft Fund	Lura Bancroft Day	Oct. 28 1914	Decided by Trustees	19,244.85	31.00	803.00	834.00	0.00
Frances E. Colburn Fund	Frances E. Colburn	Jan. 16 1919	Decided by Trustees	9,715.15	0.00	405.37	405.37	0.00
Totals				\$57,043.84	\$213.94	\$2,387.73	\$2,601.67	\$ 0.00

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

The Librarian respectfully submits the forty-eighth annual report.

A thorough revision of the registration this year made it necessary to withdraw one hundred seventy-seven borrowers' cards either by reason of death or on account of the borrower moving to another town. There are now, however, 1922 registered borrowers which is nearly two-thirds of the population.

With more of our community at work this year there has been a noticeable decrease in circulation from last year. Last year was the exceptional one and the use of the library has been more normal this year.

The High School freshman class came to the library in the fall for instruction in its use and an examination.

Story hours were held during the winter for the children with the usual good attendance and the State Certificate reading was carried on in the summer vacation. Early in the fall the play "Cinderella" was presented by a cast of puppets which were made by Miss Snodgrass and the part-time assistants. To this performance only the children eligible for certificates were invited as they were received at this time. Twenty-seven five-book certificates and four twenty-book certificates were earned. A deposit of books was sent to the Grammar School for Miss Cressey to use in connection with her English course. For Book Week in November many of the best books old and new for children were specially displayed in the Children's Room for the benefit of parents and teachers.

The Branch at South Hopedale has been used by eighty-one card holders this year and more than five thousand books have been circulated by the enthusiastic and efficient Librarian in charge.

A lock and key from the work-shop door of Rev. Adin Ballou with the original screws has been presented to the library this year by Mr. Warren H. Stevens of Milford and will be kept with our other local history material.

Frances Lewis, a junior at the High School, was added to the staff as a part-time assistant after a successful period of training. Meetings of the Children's Round Table were attended by the staff as well as the mid-winter meeting of the Massachusetts Library Club in Boston. The Librarian was elected secretary of the Bay Path Library Club at its meeting in May.

At this time I express my grateful appreciation to the Trustees for their helpful support and sincere thanks to my assistants and janitor for their hearty cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

MADELEINE R. BURRILL,

Librarian.

	1932	1933
Total circulation at Main Library and Branch	46,643	41,525
Main Library:—		
Days library open	304	302
Circulation	42,658	36,504
Average daily circulation	140	121
Largest daily circulation	277	262
Smallest daily circulation	66	51
Per cent. of circulation, fiction	77	77
Per cent. of circulation, juvenile	25	26
Total number of visitors to reading room	6,378	6,209
Total number of visitors to children's room	14,188	14,967
Attendance at ten story hours	424	539
Card holders, total number	1,883	1,841
Card holders, registered in 1932 and 1933	172	135
Cards withdrawn	127	177
Volumes in library	17,907	18,053
Volumes added during year:—		
By purchase from appropriation	2	0
By purchase from funds	316	318
By purchase from Gen. Draper money ...	0	0
By gift, individual	34	31
By gift, Commonwealth of Massachusetts	11	1
By binding	43	23
Volumes purchased to replace discarded copies	48	74
Volumes withdrawn	150	227
Volumes bound	209	192
SOUTH HOPEDALE BRANCH:—		
	1932	1933
Days library open	51	50
Circulation	3,985	5,021
Average daily circulation	78	101
Per cent. of circulation, fiction	67	70
Per cent. of circulation, current magazines	25	19
Per cent. of circulation, juvenile	21	22
Card holders	70	81
Fines collected	\$189.18	\$185.31

GROWTH, SIZE AND USE OF LIBRARY, 1933.

	Volumes added	Volumes withdrawn	Total Volumes in Li- brary at end of 1933	Volumes circulated Hopedale	So. Hopedale
Fiction	107	128	5,721	29,525	3,532
Juvenile Fiction	84	49	1,817	*7,524	*865
Juvenile Classed	59	41	647	*1,970	*226
General	2		72	208	
Periodicals	21		1,729	1,993	973
Philosophy	3	1	214	158	6
Religion	1		328	87	2
Sociology	9	1	584	410	67
Philology	1		43	113	8
Natural Science	2	1	335	314	22
Useful Arts	11		776	515	57
Fine Arts	19	1	408	535	20
Literature	8	1	1,283	880	14
Foreign Language			180	*45	
Travel	10	4	877	543	235
Biography	17		1,058	723	85
History	9		1,139	415	
Reference	12		763		
Curiosities			81		
	<hr/> 373	<hr/> 227	<hr/> 18,053	<hr/> 36,419	<hr/> 5,021

*—Included in general circulation.

GIFTS.

	Vol.	Pam.	Per.
American Association for International Conciliation		11	
Ball, Mr. F. E.			2 yrs.
Bancroft, Miss Anna M.	9	3	1 yr.
Billings, Mr. H. A.	14		
Butterworth, Mr. C. F.			1 yr.
Chambers, Walter	1		
Clark, Mrs. F. S.			1 yr.
Clark, Mr. H. B.			1 yr.
Draper, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. B.	20		
Hendry, Mary	1		
Hopedale High School		3	
Knights, Mr. Henry	1		
Massachusetts State College		43	
Massachusetts, State of	5		
Milford Daily News			1 yr.
Northeastern University		6	
Osgood, Mr. and Mrs. Dana	1		
Our Dumb Animals			1 yr.
Protectionist			1 yr.
Quebec Provincial Tourist Bureau	1	1	
Smith, Miss Clara A.	5		
Treloar, Mrs. Percival			2 yrs.
United States Government		87	
Yorston, J. C.	1		
Y. P. S. C. E. of Union Church			1 yr.

The library also exchanges annual reports with about twenty-five libraries.

STATISTICS FOR A. L. A.

Printed at the request of the A. L. A. Committee on Library Administration.

Annual report for year ended	Dec. 31, 1933
Name of library	The Bancroft Memorial
City or town	Hopedale, Massachusetts
Population served (town census 1933)	3,050
Terms of use	Free for lending and reference
Total number of agencies	Central library and one branch
Number of days open during the year (Central library)	302
Hours for lending (Central library)	42 hours a week, except July and August 36 hours a week
Hours for reading (Central library)	

	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Number of volumes at beginning of year	15,496	2,411	17,907
Number of volumes added in 1933.....	230	143	373
Number of volumes withdrawn	137	90	227
Total number at end of year.....	15,589	2,464	18,053

	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Number of volumes of fiction lent for home use.....	24,753	8,389	33,142
Number of volumes of non-fiction lent for home use.....	6,187	2,196	8,383
Total number of volumes lent for home use.....	30,940	10,585	41,525

Prints, Music rolls	None in library
Music circulation. (Books entirely)	Not separate from rest of 700
Number of borrowers registered in 1933	135 Central library
Total borrowers registered	1,841 Central library—81 Branch
Registration period	During life or residence
Number of newspapers, periodicals currently received	74 Central library—8 Branch
Number of persons using reading and reference rooms	6,209 Central library

Receipts from		Payments for	
Balance (Funds)	\$ 213 94	Books	\$ 696 78
Appropriations	2,700 00	Periodicals	140 70
Endowment Funds.....	2,387 73	Binding	142 41
Special Appropriation	300 00	Salaries, library service and janitor service	3,552 97
		Heat.....	311 08
		Light	204 37
		Other maintenance.....	553 36
		Total Maintenance	\$5,601 67
		Balance	0 00
Total	<u>\$5,601 67</u>		<u>\$5,601 67</u>

GENERAL DRAPER FUND.

Amount on hand Jan. 1, 1933.....	\$ 52 97
Received from interest.....	1 84
	<u>\$ 54 81</u>
Expended for:	
Historical Books... ..	\$ 00 00
	<u>\$ 54 81</u>
Balance on hand Milford Savings Bank, Jan. 1, 1934.....	\$ 54 81

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